

AMERICANS AND MEXICANS IN PITCHED BATTLE

Santa Fe, N. Mex., March 17.—Several Americans are reported killed in a battle with Mexican bandits who raided the town of

Dwyer, in Grant county, southeast of Silver City last night. The Mexicans escaped and at last accounts were racing for the border.

The Mexicans rode into Dwyer

with a reinforced posse from Grant and Luna counties riding hard to head them off.

and robbed the general store of rounds of ammunition. After Frank Peiper, of a considerable sum, twenty high powdered repeating rifles and one thousand

shots were organized at Dwyer and well mounted and heavily armed started in pursuit. After a chase of twenty miles the posse overhauled the Mexicans. A running battle followed. George Tidwell, Lafo Justin and another member of the posse whose name has not been learned were killed according to reports reaching here. Albert Tidwell was reported missing. The Mexicans continued their flight southward.

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THREE MORE BRITISH SHIPS ARE TORPEDOED

6 OF CREW LOSE LIVES BY WORK OF SUBMARINES

London, March 17.—Official announcement was made today that the British steamers Atlanta and Fingal had been torpedoed.

The text of the communication follows:

"The British steamer Atlanta, 519 tons owned by Messrs. J. and P. Hutchison of Glasgow was torpedoed by a German submarine off Inish Turk on the west coast of County Galway, Ireland, about noon of March 14. The crew was landed on Inish Turk Island and the vessel is now in the harbor."

"The British steamer Fingal, 1,562 gross tons (661 net tons) owned by the London and Edinburgh Shipping Company, of Leith, Scotland," was torpedoed and sunk at 10:30 a. m. March 15 off the Northumbrian land coast. Twenty-nine members of her crew were landed at North Shields, but six lives are reported to have been lost, including the chief mate and the stewardess."

North Shields, Eng., March 17.—The survivors of the Fingal were landed here today. They declare that the casualties on board were due to the fact that the vessel went down before the starboard boat could be freed. The Fingal, as she sank, dragged this boat under water, leaving the occupants, including the captain, struggling in the water. The port boat picked up the captain and several others, but six men lost their lives.

RECTOR KILLS WOMAN, ENDS HIS OWN LIFE

Washington, March 17.—President Wilson today sold a bale of cotton and sent the proceeds to charity in Oklahoma.

During the buy a bale of cotton movement the president bought several bales and one now is in storage at Roswell, Okla.

Miami, Fla., March 17.—Rev. William Alfred Tucker, rector of St. Agnes' Episcopal church here, late today shot and killed Harriet DeLaney, member of his church and then committed suicide.

Tucker recently had been bound over to the federal court under \$2,000 bond on a charge of sending obscene literature through the mails.

MOORE BILL IS KILLED

Columbus, March 17.—The future existence of the state oil inspector's department was rendered problematical today by action of the house which killed the Moore bill already passed by the senate.

GUARD AGAINST THE FOOT AND MOUTH

Jacksonville, Fla., March 17.—To prevent introduction of foot and mouth disease into Florida, state officials today declared a quarantine against a dozen states including Ohio and Kentucky.

MRS. ANGLE TELLS OF REMOVING BODY OF BALLOU AFTER FALL

Bridgeport, Conn., March 17.—Mrs. Helen M. Angle, on trial for manslaughter, collapsed today during a recess of the court, her strength giving way under the ordeal of the cross examination.

She is charged with having caused the death of Walden H. Ballou in Stamford last June.

Mrs. Angle revived shortly and was on the stand at the noon recess. It was expected that her cross examination would be completed at the afternoon session.

The state's attorney sought to have Mrs. Angle, while she was on the stand, fix the time of Ballou's fall down stairs, but she could not do so definitely. She declared it was after 10:45 o'clock, which Patrick Rabbit said was about the time he heard a noise, but before 11 o'clock.

When she placed Ballou outside the street entrance she did not think of looking to see if any one was in sight.

Had No Thought of Calling Doctor, She Says

Mrs. Angle did not recall fixing the door lock to enable her to return or whether she had switched on the hall light. She declared

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FOREST FIRES RAGING IN PIKE COUNTY, KY.

Lexington, Ky., March 17.—A report reached here today that forest fires are raging in the mountains of Pike county, in the eastern part of the state and that many thousand dollars worth of timber has been destroyed.

Deputy United States marshals have charge of the pursuit.

WILSON SELLS BAILE OF COTTON; GIVES PROCEEDS TO CHARITY

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Committees Report On Number Of Bills

Columbus, March 17.—The cities committee of the house reported with recommendation for passage the Collins bill, permitting the Cincinnati Southern Railway to issue bonds to pay five per cent. The manufacturers and commerce committee decided to report out the Bauer bill, providing for safety appliances on air brakes and the Benedict bill, requiring safety arrangements on steam boilers.

BRANDS CHILD WITH HOT COIN SO HE MIGHT BE IDENTIFIED

Cleveland, Ohio, March 17.—Because his eighteen-months-old baby boy ran away from home and for fear that he might not be identified if he should run away again, William Reehard, 27, branded the child with a red hot fifty cent piece, he said in police court today. Doctors say the boy will bear the brand on his right all his life.

Reehard was arrested on a charge of assault and battery, and

GARZA HOLDS REINS IN MEXICO

HER BAL MASQUE WAS SEASON'S MOST BRILLIANT AFFAIR



Mrs. Lincoln Valentine.

Mrs. Lincoln Valentine, a few nights ago, was the hostess at one of the most brilliant social affairs the national capital has had this season. It was entitled a "luminous bal masque" and was attended by most of the socially elect clad in all sorts of beautiful costumes. Mrs. Valentine was a charming figure as Quoniam Indian maid. Nearly 200 guests attended. The Calentines have recently arrived in Washington and have taken the home formerly occupied by Representative and Mrs. Ausberry.

LICENSE BILL REPORTED OUT

Columbus, March 17.—The Senate temperance committee today reported out the McDermott bill with a recommendation for passage. This bill is the so-called "license system decentralization." It will probably be made a special order early next week.

MAY CALL FOR REFERENDUM

Columbus, March 17.—Referendum will be called on either the Moore civil service bill, which was up for final consideration in the Senate today, or the Barnes bill pending in the house, if either is enacted, according to announcement made here today by Mayor Fesler, of Cleveland, in behalf of the state civil service association.

SALESMAN MURDERED

Lexington, Ky., March 17.—The body of Edward Atwater, a traveling salesman of Cleveland, O., was found today in a ravine near Ashland, Ky., according to a report here today. Bruises on the body and the condition of the ravine indicated that Atwater had struggled with an assailant before death.

Two men were arrested, one giving the name of Frazee, and there was found scrawled in the sand near the body the name "Frazee." Police believe that robbery was the cause of the crime.

OPERATIONS CENTER ON PIVOTAL POINTS

Petrograd, March 17 (via London)—Active encounters of considerable strategic importance along the 600 mile front constitute, in the opinion of military authorities here, the beginning of the spring campaign. These engagements are spread along the line from the river Niemen in the North through Russian Poland and eastward through Galicia to the river Dnieper. Never before in the history of war in the eastern theatre has there been such continuous activity along the whole line.

London, March 17.—The Petrograd correspondent of Reuter's Telegram Company says in a dispatch that the capture of the Austrian fortress at Przemysl is considered in the Russian capital as a matter of a few days only.

The garrison is existing on famine rations and the hospitals are crowded.

London, March 17—Nouve Chapelle and St. Elio, on the west and Prusnysz and Przemsyl, on the east, are the pivots of the battle areas in which struggles that may mark important milestones in the war are now being fought. The outcome of the fight for Nove Chapelle, from which the British have driven the Germans with a loss of nearly 20,000

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ASSEMBLY WILL PROBE CHARGE OF LOBBYING; WINE PARTIES DENIED

Columbus, March 17.—Stirred by the charges and counter charges concerning the alleged activities of lobbyists in Columbus, Speaker Conover announced today that he would insist that the matter be investigated by a committee in the house.

The speaker indicated that he does not give much credence to the reports of lobbying but told house leaders it was his firm belief that the house owed it to its membership to make a thorough investigation.

It is understood a resolution will be offered in the house soon

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CLAIM CRUISER DRESDEN SUNK UNDER SHELTER; NEUTRAL PORT VIOLATED

Washington, Mar. 17.—A statement issued by the German embassy here last night declared that the German cruiser Dresden sank by a British squadron off the coast of Chile, Sunday apparently was attacked while in shelter of neutral waters.

The embassy's information came in cablegrams yesterday and today from Valparaiso, Chile.

The statement follows:

"Yesterday morning the embassy received from Valparaiso the following cable:

"German cruiser Dresden, after having destroyed an English sailing ship on March 8, was surprised by an English armored cruiser and pursued by her from three o'clock in the afternoon. Dresden succeeded to escape the armored cruiser under the cover of darkness. Damage in the machinery and lack of coal forced her to put into the island of Juan Fernandez.

According to today's telegram received at the embassy from Valparaiso fifteen wounded of the Dresden were landed by the Ormara at Said harbor. Three men of the German cruiser are reported to have been killed. The telegram further says that the whole crew was landed on the island of Juan Fernandez and will be brought to Valparaiso by a Chilean steamer.

"According to the British admiral report, the Dresden was caught by the armored cruiser, Kent, protected cruiser Glasgow and the auxiliary cruiser Ormara, near Juan Fernandez island,

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PRIVATE CHURCH RAZED; SUES CARDINAL FARLEY

New York, March 17.—Cecilia E. Wentworth, an American artist, who is a papal nunsque, began a suit in the supreme court here yesterday against Cardinal Farley, as head of the Catholic church, to compel him either to rebuild the church which was destroyed to make way for the new Catskill aqueduct or to pay her

\$9,176.25. The marquise alleges that she had a church built for her own use near West Shunian, N. Y., about 10 years ago and that the property was placed in the name of Archbishop Michael A. Corrigan. After the archbishop's death the city condemned the property and paid the church for it, the marquise asserts in her

claim.

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Similar assurances of co-operation have been received from the authorities controlling Mexico City.

CAN VOTE ON SIZE OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

Columbus, March 17—Opponents of the small school board plan now in effect under a new municipality may hold a referendum vote to decide what size its board of education shall be, on petition for an election by 10 per cent of the voters.

PROBE FURTHER INTO OTTAWA BANK CLOSING

Columbus, March 17—Campaign lithograph pictures of former Governor Cox and former Attorney General T. S. Hogan, as candidates respectively for governor and United States senator, were displayed in the windows of the defunct Putnam county bank at Ottawa last fall while that bank was being liquidated by the state banking department, according to testimony given the Winslow legislative committee today by Carl McKinley, a Toledo newspaper man.

McKinley, of Ottawa, received \$257 and D. M. Bailey \$1,900 as attorney fees, he declared.

Officer Theo. Brahm, is suffering with an attack of grippe.

PROTECTION IS ASSURED FOREIGNERS

Washington, March 17.—Foreigners at Progresso, alarmed by disorders in the city have asked for refuge on the American cruiser Des Moines. General Carranza, however, after conferences with American naval and diplomatic officers at Vera Cruz has promised full protection forthwith.

Secretary Bryan spent an hour with President Wilson today discussing the Mexican question.

Washington, March 17.—Unofficial advice reaching the state department today told of the return to Mexico City of Roque Gonzales Garza, elected provisional president by a convention of generals January 17, and of his issuing a statement assuring protection for the public in the capital. Martial law would be declared, Garza's statement said.

Advice telling of Garza's return said there was no disorder in the city and that business houses had been re-opened.

Garza succeeded Eulalio Gutierrez and is presumably entered the capital with Zapata forces last week after its evacuation by General Obregon.

Information concerning actual conditions in Mexico City has been sent since the latest change in control, but state department dispatches from the Swedish legation there have said conditions are deplorable. These dispatches told specifically of alleged outrages to Swedish subjects.

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BILLY BUTT-IN

SEE ME SHAMROCK

Here's to good old Saint Patrick, I only wish I'd thinks like he did. If I could show folks what real weather is like and keep a showin' em. But as it is th' best I can do is put up with my one day-ahead glimpse of the future and wear a bit of green. Here's for tomorrow: Ohio—Fair tonight and Thursday.

Kentucky and West Virginia—Fair tonight and Thursday.

HERE IT IS: AT THE COLUMBIA TO-NIGHT AND TO-MORROW!

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In 6000
Feet Of
Laughs

ON TRIAL FOR THEFT OF 42 CHICKENS

The case of the State against Fields, indicted by the recent grand jury on two counts, burglary and larceny, was begun before Judge Thomas and a jury in common pleas court Wednesday morning. Fields is accused of stealing 42 chickens, valued at \$30.80, from the chicken house of Mrs. Anna Montz, of the Boulevard, on the night of December 13, 1914.

A written confession, which the police officers claim was signed by Fields soon after his arrest, was the most important piece of evidence offered by the prosecution, and it was admitted by the court as

IS NAMED ASSOCIATE RECEIVER

B. Frank Thompson was appointed by Judge Thomas in common pleas court Wednesday as associate receiver of the East End Furniture company, which went into the hands of the receiver Monday, and his bond fixed at \$10,000.

He is to co-operate with J. P. Purdum, receiver appointed Monday, in the management of the business for the best interests of the stockholders and creditors.

NEW BOSTON

The board of health met Tuesday evening with members John Pollard, George Laidley, Charles Burdum, and Health Officer Martin Hall present. A bill of \$2 was allowed. A bill of \$19.16 from Cooper Bros., grocers, was referred to the Clay township trustees for payment. The members of the health board and health officer will meet with council at the next regular meeting relative to the repairing of the alleys. Dr. W. G. Cheney's bid of \$15 for village physician was rejected as the trustees of Clay township held that the board did not have the necessary authority to appoint him.

The sinking fund trustees of the board of education met at the town hall Tuesday evening and rejected the \$12,500 and \$92,500 street improvement bonds. The bonds will now be offered to the State Industrial commission and if rejected will be advertised for sale.

The Young People's society organized at the Baptist church Sunday evening have elected the following officers: President, Chester Staten; vice president, Earl Jenkins; secretary, Grace Hoover; assistant secretary, Verne Staten; pianist, Aurora Emory; assistant pianist, Thelma Moore; treasurer, Ida Hoover; assistant treasurer, Beulah Jenkins; librarians, Ralph Caulker, Charles Lawson and Mr. Willis.

Mrs. Albert Dutiel of Gallia pike who has been suffering with cancer for several months was removed to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Davis, 60 Gallia pike Tuesday.

The Red Men met Tuesday evening. The W. O. W. lodge meets in regular session Thursday evening in Davis hall.

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Mrs. Joseph Allen of Gallia pike is ill with pneumonia.

The Willing Workers class of the Baptist church met Tuesday evening at the home of their teacher, Mrs. James Moore, of Oak street. The afternoon was spent in selling home made candy, the proceeds going to the class treasury. The teacher gave the class a surprise by taking them to the Popular theatre. Those present were Marie Brown, Gertrude Corn Myrtle Davis, Ruth Lawson, Erie Ardis, Mary York, Emma Pollard, Ethel Cooper and Grace Henry.

Charles Crull of Harrisonville Wednesday drove his new Ford to Haverhill Wednesday to look after work in connection with the construction of the company's proposed extension to Hanging Rock.

Ruth Denied The Theft

James R. Ruth was taken into custody by Officer Joe Strokey Wednesday noon on complaint of Mrs. Lizzie Kinkler, New Ninth street, who suspected him of stealing a razor from her home. After arriving at headquarters, the woman changed her mind and presenting Ruth, he was dismissed by Chief McCarty. He had stoutly denied the theft.

To Olive Hill

Walter Pick, of Ninth street, left Wednesday for Olive Hill, Ky., to look after work for the Harrison-Walker company.

Specially attention to repairs. Walter's Plumbing Co.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses issued Wednesday:

Albert Newton McLaughlin, 22, a carpenter, and Miss Edna A. Schanosky, 20, both of this city. Rev. J. W. Dillon.

Lee Case, 22, a farmer, and Miss Mary Eichenthal, 18, both of Otway. Rev. Albert L. Marting.

Man Takes His Own Medicine Is An Optimist

He has absolute faith in his medicine—he knows when he takes it for certain ailments he gets well. People who take Dr. King's New Discovery for an irritating Cold are optimists—they know colds congenitally will penetrate the linings of the throat, kill the germs, and open the way for Nature to act. You can't destroy a Cold by superficial treatment—you must go to the cause of the trouble. Be a optimist. Get a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery today.

Why not start now to beautify the hair by using Parlor Sage, the delightful tonic, sold by Wurster Bros. One application will make the hair fluffy and lustrous. There is nothing better for dandruff, scaling scalp and falling hair.

Miss Mayme Fivine, a school teacher, has been off duty for several days on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Charles Huber. Her place is being filled by Miss Minnie Brookhart.

County Superintendent McCowen has called a special meeting of the district school superintendents at his office Thursday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock to discuss plans for preparing a rural school exhibit during the remainder of the school year which will be exhibited during the Korn Karnival next fall.

Engineer In Charge

Philip Wickerham, of the engineering department of the Ohio Valley Traction Company, went to Haverhill Wednesday to look after work in connection with the construction of the company's proposed extension to Hanging Rock.

The Excelsior Sewing club met yesterday. The afternoon was spent in sewing. Those present were Edith

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Scott's Elixer is the sensible and natural food-medicine for every cold because it removes the cause. It warms the body by enriching the blood and prevents bronchitis, grippe and pneumonia, and it also fortifies the lungs.

You can rely on Scott's Elixer to relieve any cold, but he cannot afford to avoid the cheap imitations and alcoholic substitutes that trade on the reputation of Scott's. Every drugstore has it.

Special attention to repairs. Walter's Plumbing Co.

Get Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

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DR. SAN-KO'S FILE

OBITUARY

Mrs. Emma L. Bullock, Mrs. Emma L. Bullock, aged 22 years, a former saleslady at Brunner's down-town dry goods store, died at the home of her uncle, Frank Campbell, of 729 Fifth street, Tuesday evening at 5 o'clock, of tuberculosis.

Mrs. Bullock had been ill since last August. She was the daughter of the late Ed Hopkins, her parents dying when she was but two years old. She was adopted and reared by her grandfather, Michael Ganzle. She was married a year ago last February to Alie Bullock, who is now located in Kentucky. Besides she is survived by one sister, Mrs. Hazel Rigglesworth, of near Lincoln, Neb.

The young woman was a member of the Methodist church, but during her long illness was chiefly visited by Rev. Samuel Lindenmeyer, and that minister will conduct the funeral services Thursday afternoon. Burial will take place in the Perkins cemetery, on the West Side.

Mrs. Sarah C. Schrock, Sarah C. Richardson, daughter of Sally P. and Asa Richardson, was born at Delaware, Indiana, December 7, 1851. She departed this life at Portsmouth, Ohio, March 11, 1915. Age 60 years, 3 months and 4 days.

She was married to John Schrock, October 2, 1875. To this union was born three children, Mrs. Myrtle Francisco, Mrs. Cora Workman and one son who died in infancy. She united with the Methodist church at Osgood, Ind., at an early age and remained in that until death.

Her sufferings were great, but she bore them patiently, telling those around her that if the good Master was ready to call her she was ready to go. She made her home with her daughter, Mrs. G. D. Francisco of Portsmouth, O., until death. She had many loving friends and great grief and sympathy was shown her and the family during her sickness and death. Flowers were the favorite object in life and she was blessed with them in death. They were numerous.

Those left to mourn are one sister, Mrs. Lilly Yoccks of North Vernon, Ind., two daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Francisco and Mrs. Cora Workman and four grand children, all of this city, and two half sisters.

Dearest mother thou hast left us, And thy loss we deeply feel; But 'tis God that has bereft us He can all our sorrows heal.

Again we hear the solemn tone The church bell tolling for the dead, A mother taken from her home And lain within her narrow bed.

Another family circle is broken, And empty is the mother's chair,

Her last farewell on earth is spoken,

She has laid aside each earthly care.

CARD OF THANKS

We hereby extend our most sincere thanks to neighbors and friends for the kindness and help given during the illness and death of our dear mother. We also extend our heartfelt thanks to Bro. Osborne for the comforting words. Mr. Pfeiffer for the kind and efficient manner in which he conducted the funeral. We also thank the singers. We also wish to thank the pallbearers.

CHILDREN.

John Lyons

Mrs. William Quisen, 1517 Fourth street, received a message Wednesday morning, bearing the sad news of the death of her brother.

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Undertaker & Funeral Director
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BUSINESS OUTLOOK IS MORE PROMISING

er, John Lyons, which occurred at Mobile, Alabama, Tuesday afternoon. The news came as a terrible shock to Mrs. Quisen, who was not aware of her brother's illness. The message contained no particulars.

The deceased was a prominent contractor of Easley, Ala., and was widely known in that section of the state. He leaves a widow and two children to mourn his loss. His body will be buried at "Elks' Rest," Oaklawn cemetery, Easley.

John H. Martin Cal. Alex Altman of the Tracy Shoe company, received word Wednesday of the death at Jackson, Ohio, of an old friend, John H. Martin, retired traveling salesman. He was for years on the road for R. Bell & Co., the original shoe manufacturers of Portmouth. He was past 70 years of age and leaves a family.

Mrs. Cora McKeever Mrs. Clara Nayle, of Waller Street, has received a message announcing the death of her mother's wife Mrs. Cora McKeever who died in St. Louis. The deceased was a victim of tuberculosis. Mr. McKeever was a former Portsmouth man. He was employed for a number of years in the Excelsior shoe factory.

Mrs. Carrie Czerwinski Mrs. A. J. Wilhelm, 1634 Fifth street, who was one of the original members of the Czerwinski Trio received word from Mrs. Antoinette Botts, of Buffalo, N. Y., Tuesday of the death of the latter's mother, Mrs. Carrie Czerwinski in that city January 29. Death was due to the effects of a surgical operation for cancer. Mrs. Czerwinski was the widow of Prof. J. P. Czerwinski, a prominent instructor of music, formerly of this city who was killed in an automobile accident in Buffalo five years ago. Two other daughters survive Mrs. Czerwinski.

WORKING ON A CLUE

It was rumored Wednesday that Chief McCarty was working on a clue to the Utton robbery and that an arrest may be made in the case shortly.

To Leave For Aberdeen

Anthony Stebbins, who resigned as advertising manager of the Morning Star, accompanied by his wife, will leave Thursday for Aberdeen, C. D.

Widow Gets The Estate

The entire estate of the late George D. Gims was left to the widow, Sarah Martin Gims, according to the provisions of the will filed in probate court Wednesday. In the event that she remarries, she is to receive one-third, and the son, Stewart M. Gims, the remaining two-thirds. The widow is nominated as executrix.

Will Ferguson, of Cincinnati, who is just recovering from a ten days' severe siege of grip, is visiting his mother, Mrs. C. C. Fulton, of Second street.

Visits Brother

New Nichols, who is in the lithographing business at Toledo, visited his brother, Belden Nichols, of the Washington hotel, Wednesday.

Purse Found

The pocket-book which James W. Smith claimed Lawrence Johnson had taken from him during a struggle they had last week, has been recovered by Officer John Smith. The missing purse, with \$24.02 in it, was found by James Bennett, a night watchman, in his back-yard. Bennett supposed it had been dropped there by a would-be chicken thief and held it for several days, thinking the loser might advertise for it or call in person.

On Business.

Ex-Postmaster John March, of Buena Vista, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Roy C. Lynn
UNDERTAKER AND
Funeral Director
Auto Ambulance
Service
BOTH PHONES 11

The balance of the estate is left equally to the two children, who are named as executor and execatrix.

Mr. Barnes Wants Clock

A Mrs. Barnes, of New Boston, appealed to the police Wednesday to help recover a clock she said some man refused to give up after it had been in storage. She was referred to the New Boston authorities.

Not Bad As Reported

Jacob Kuehner, former county commissioner, who was in the city Wednesday, reported that the smallpox epidemic at South Webster and vicinity is not so bad as reported.

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Real Estate Boom

A. W. Thomson reports that Fullerton is enjoying quite a real estate boom just now and that many persons are buying small homes in the Kentucky village.

NO "DARK" BEER. THIS WAS ACTUALLY GREEN BEER

They were lined up in front of the bar, ten of 'em.

Presently John Kilcoyne entered his saloon at Eleventh and Lincoln streets.

"Well, John, we are going to take a drink. Have one with us?" said a member of the crowd.

"Well this is St. Patrick's Day and I suppose we ought to ask for something green, but we haven't got one. In fact we have a hard time getting anything we want from the Portsmouth Brewing & Ice Company," said Mr. Kilcoyne.

"Is that so?" came back Paul

Esselborn, who was in the crowd, and he ordered a "green" beer. So did all of his friends. The bartender smiled wisely. He was "hep" but Mr. Kilcoyne wasn't.

Ten glasses of beer with greenish tint were placed on the bar. Mr. Kilcoyne was skeptical and refused to "fall" for what he thought was huge joke, but when the men drank the beer he realized that his friends had slipped one over on him.

Mr. Esselborn had tinted the beer with coloring, and a similar tinted beer was on tap today at John Kulso's place on Campbell avenue.

The Movies

"Tillie's Punctured Romance" Columbia Tonight and Tomorrow



Synopsis

The romance of Tillie fair but weighty country maiden begins as Tillie throws blocks of wood as far as she can that her dog may pick them up. A city stranger strolls into range of the flying blocks and receives one in his clean shaved city countenance. Being a city man and not used to such introductions to maidens, he faints. Tillie drags him into her own home. The city man revives when he discovers that Tillie's father has a bank roll. He induces her to get it and together they go to the city.

It is Tillie's first visit to the populous haunts of men. Charlie, the city chap, takes her to a cabaret. There Tillie has the first drink of her life. Charlie and Tillie are disturbed by Mabel, Charlie's city girl. Charlie gets Tillie's money and goes away from there with Mabel.

Meanwhile Tillie has had too much drink. She is put into the street and ultimately locked up in a police station. The police discover that she is the niece of that particular city's millionaire, Douglas Banks. She is freed and escorted to the Banks mansion. There she creates a scene so violent that her uncle disowns her.

Having been expelled from her uncle's home, she gets a job as a waitress. Her uncle, distressed by the incident of his niece, goes mountain climbing. He falls down a mountain and is badly hurt. His guide thinks he is dead and telephones to the millionaire's secretary who looks for Tillie as the next of kin.

Charlie and Mabel discover Tillie working in her restaurant, by chance. They rend of the search for the missing heiress. Charlie leaves Mabel and goes to Tillie's restaurant. Here he courts Tillie to such good purpose that he and Tillie are married. Upon their return to the restaurant they are informed by Uncle Banks' secretary that Tillie is heiress to the Banks millions.

Tillie and her husband proceed to Banks' mission, where they entertain in style. They give a ball to mark their entry into society, but Mabel has managed to get a place in their household as a maid. She so contrives matters that the ball ends in a free-for-all fight. In the midst of the disorders Uncle Banks, who has been only slightly injured, returns. He has the whole party put out of the house.

Charlie discovers that Tillie has nothing. So he returns to Mabel. Mabel and Charlie flee, pursued by the angered Tillie.

Tillie chases the pair to the river's edge, where they disappear. The police, land and marine, are called out, as no trace of the missing two can be found. In the midst of the excitement Tillie is struck by an auto loaded with police. She, auto and policemen take a dip into the river.

Tillie, whose romance has now been punctured thoroughly, is rescued from the river. Charlie and Mabel are found, too. Mabel, seeing the wreck that Charlie has made of their affairs, and the trouble that he has caused, falls into Tillie's arms. Tillie and Mabel are reconciled. Both renounce Charlie as the police drag him away.

This is the picture that has been breaking house records all over the country and is in such demand by exhibitors everywhere. The above price has been raised for the above six-reel pictures, and owing to this fact, Manager Tynes announces that he is compelled to make the price of admission as

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At The Exhibit

"A Briskin Maiden" is a two reel drama that is being offered as the headliner at the Exhibit tonight. It is being supplemented by a comedy "When Bed Relieved." The latter picture is featuring Muriel Ostriche and Boyd Marshall.

In addition to this big program of pictures there is special music which alone is well worth the price of admission.

Tomorrow

Tomorrow the headliner will be "The Double Spark" in two parts. Another one of those imitable Keystone comedies, "A Dark Lover's Play" will also be shown.

At The Temple Theatre

When Arthur B. Reeve first gave the public his greatest of modern detective, Prof. Craig Kennedy, it was quickly predicted that here at last was the successor to Sherlock Holmes. Craig Kennedy is more. He is a detective different from all others. He is a creation. The cry has been "give me more Craig Kennedy stories," and this proves the great popularity of this character.

Craig Kennedy is the central figure in "The Exploits of Elaine." You will find him as wonderful on the Temple theatre screen as in the pages of your magazine. Arnold Daly plays the part of Craig and Pearl White Elaine. The third reel is entitled "The Star Boarder," a comedy. The fourth is entitled "Hogan The Porter," a Keystone comedy. Price of admission ten cents.

At Arcana Theatre

Manager Potts has two great specials for his patrons at the Arcana Theater tonight. First will be a two-reel drama entitled "The Lone Game," which, as its name implies, a strong Western, one of those plays that keep one on the anxious seat from start to finish.

One where the hero is in the strength of every climax and where the action is so vivid that the audience bursts into cheers. The second feature is entitled "When Cupid Caught a Thief." This is a roaring comedy, one of the best one-reelers ever shown in Portsmouth and guaranteed to produce a thousand laughs. On Thursday Arcana Theatre patrons will remember that Manager Potts will show the third episode of the "Master Key," a play that is taking all the large cities by storm and one that will go down in history as a really great feature. The acting is strong, the settings magnificent and the acting so real and vivid that you imagine yourself in the great rough West, where woman's honor is defended with life, if necessary. The Arcana shows all these great features for the small sum of 5 cents, and that being the case you cannot afford to miss them.

THEATRICAL**The Sun**

The Sun is offering an exceptional opportunity to see life on the Great White Way, as it is lived by many. Also life in our most famous prison, Matteawan Asylum. Again the present play "The Unwritten Law," tells the old, old story of man's love for woman. It displays beautiful gowns and deals with a case that has been before the public for years. The fact that it is a story taken from life, and so well staged is perhaps the cause of the big receipts it draws. Tonight is the last performance.

The Barrett Players are to be here but one more week. The company will lay off Holy week to rest a little before the long summer season starts in, and will open in Lima, Ohio, April 5 for two weeks, then to Springfield, Ohio, for the summer.

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HAPPY HUNTINGTON.

The Advertiser felicitates Huntington on the quality of the candidates appearing for city office. It avows that in the list of those, who have formally announced their candidacy and those who are likely to enter the race are included representative business men, men with experience and insight into municipal affairs, or men who by their training and experience in other lines have shown their ability to deal with the problems that will confront the governing board of a large and progressive city like Huntington. Among so many men of high class, the task of selection is naturally more difficult. But it is fortunate for Huntington that so many of her citizens of the proper character and inclination are ready to give their services to the city.

Indeed, it is fortunate for Huntington, that such a happy dilemma should confront her, of having the choice of the best, so that no matter whom is picked she can "do no worse". Is it true, though, that she is the victim of such excellent condition, or is the Advertiser but drawing the long bow, wrought to enthusiasm by a constantly growing announcement column. Admitting, however, it is condition and not a theory that brings our boastful rival face to face with itself, we can see where no particular difficulty will present itself in electing the preferable incumbents. Having settled the major promise of the honesty and ability of all, the inquiry ought to rest for final determination upon how each individual would bear himself towards the public after election. There are men of impeccable honesty and of unrivaled efficiency in office, as we know from their own constantly rewritten guarantee, that fail to maintain a right attitude towards the public because in their conceit they have no problems, except that of convincing the dullard public how fortunate it is and how grateful it ought to be that all its troubles and its fates are taken in hand by him who alone knows what's needed and how to fix it.

A CHEAP SQUEAL.

Not being able to deny that a surplus of eight million dollars, more or less, was left by the Cox administration, giving the cold denial of cash to the empurpled charge that the state treasury was bankrupt, the Willis administration is now setting up the cheap squeal that no surplus supply of food and clothing was left in the various institutions and now the inmates will have to be provided for. Certainly they will, and had they had a great stock of supplies these same campaign bars would be charging that Jim Cox loaded everything up as a favor to his "vast personal political machine".

The meanest partisanship appears to us to be that which says this country has to suffer indignities because it can put up no fight. We always feel the fellow who so talks is a cross-between a sullen and a skunk.

They always sing to us that St. Patrick was a gentleman and we never had any disposition to so dispute, but then there were no gas or gasoline engines in his day.

Cincinnati is sprouting her usual crop of spring strikes and lockouts.

West Virginia seems to have a governor patterned in a way like the mayor of a certain town we know.

Reading a shocking row of accidents reported each day, one concludes the automobilist is his own worse enemy.

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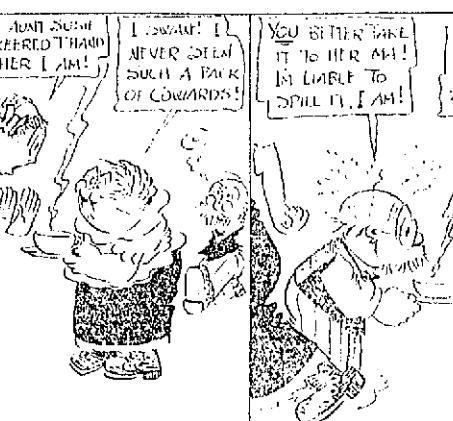
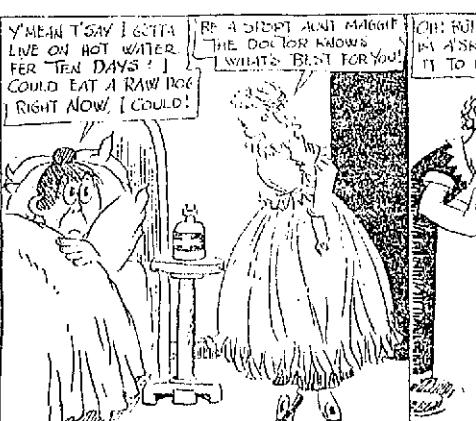
Two candidates, Elizabeth Holbrook and Arthur McDermott, were initiated into the Woodmen Circle, River City Grove, No. 94, at the regular meeting Thursday evening. Five applications for membership were read, and they will be acted upon at the next meeting.

A committee of four was appointed to arrange for a masked social to be given at an early date.

The committee includes Captain L. J. Janesky, Ella Cook, Eliza Peak and Sarah Bishop. Mrs. George Ditty has been named to serve as deputy of the lodge for the coming year.

Will Move
Jeweler and Mrs. Frank White are preparing to move from the flat over his store to a home on Third street below Chillicothe street.

POLLY AND HER PALS



YOUR LAST CHANCE

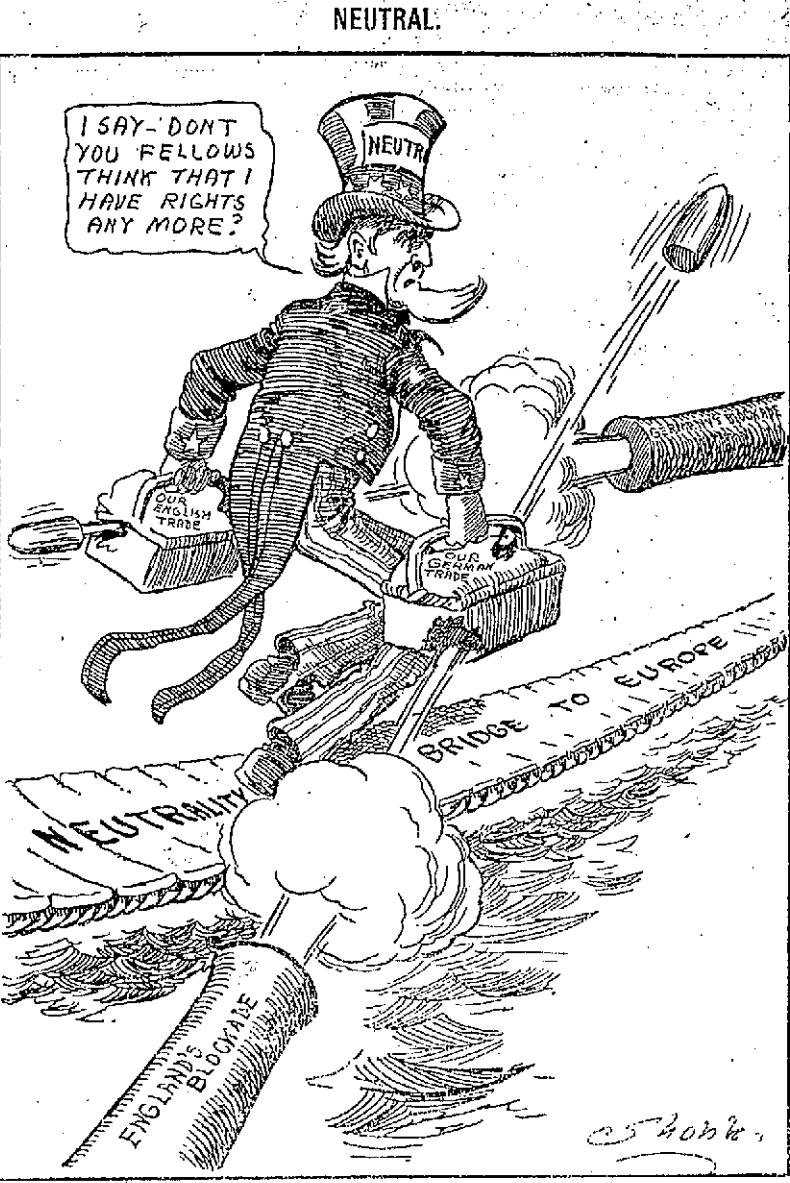
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Between Girls
They say we gradually grow to look like a constant companion.
Then if I were you I'd quit going around with that pig dog so much.

Mary Mutton
Mary had a little lamb,
That filled her mind with grief,
She knew she'd get a better price,
Had it been made of beef.

What is Gained
About the only thing that is gained by jiggling the telephone hook when the girl is slow is to make her as mad as you are.—Uniontown (Pa.) Herald.

FASHION WILL MOVE NEXT WEEK

Rapid progress is being made on the work of placing a new front in the room at the corner of Gallia and Gay streets to be occupied by The Fashion. Contractor Cook has been making special efforts to complete the work and his efforts are rapidly converting the room into an ideal store room. Manager A. Kline, of the Fashion, stated Wednesday that the store would be transferred to its new home some time next week and would be opened for business with a greatly increased stock.

Animal Jingles FOR LITTLE POLKA

THE ADVENTURES OF MINNIE MONKEY

When Minnie Monkey awoke in the Organ-Grinder's house, said she: "I know I have done very wrong." And while she was still thinking what a naughty child she'd been, The Organ-Grinder man said, "Come along!"

The family dressed Miss Minnie in the little coat and hat. Said they: "We hope you'll have a lucky day." So they set out, and when they saw some children in a yard, The Organ-Grinder man began to play.

And while he played Miss Minnie turned her finest somersault. She really didn't find it very hard; But when she started toward the house to get the children's coins, A great, big, dog came dashing through the yard.

Miss Minnie dropped her little cup and scrambled up a tree. And when she'd reached the tipmost top She saw the Organ-Grinder man a-running up the street. As fast as though he never meant to stop.

The children said to her: "You needn't be at all afraid; This dog is only playing; he won't bite." But Minnie would not listen when they told her to come down; She only sat and chattered in her fright.

At last a boy climbed up the tree and seized Miss Minnie Monk. He tucked her underneath his arm and then He quickly scrambled down the tree, as only boys know how. And soon they were upon the ground again.

Said he: "This is my monkey; now I mean to take her home." Of course the children knew that he was right. But of the things that happened next, exciting though they were, I'll have to wait and tell tomorrow night.

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Strope Is Missing

Bill Strope, a former barber who police say was reported abusing his aged mother, could not be found by police when they sought for him in the North End Tuesday. The officers learned that he had some trouble with a gang of negroes in steady of with his mother.

See that Walters Plumbing Co. figures your contract.

Violated Parole

Roy Ellis, young man who violated his parole, was brought to the city prison by Field Officer Browning of the Mansfield Reformatory late Tuesday afternoon and locked up for the night. The officer left with his prisoner for Mansfield early Wednesday morning.

Union In Good Shape

The Painters', Paperhanglers' and Decorators' Union No. 355 met in weekly session Tuesday night. One candidate was elected to membership. The affairs of this union were reported in splendid shape.

Gets Another Wagon

J. E. O'Neill, division superintendent of the Wells-Fargo Express Company, was here from Cincinnati on an inspection trip Tuesday. The local agency has received an additional express wagon from Cincinnati.

In All The World No Trip Like This

It's almost a man's duty as an educational process, to take his family while the world is at his feet, to visit the great Expositions in San Francisco and San Diego, sailing on the way out the marvelous Mountain Breezy of Colorado-Denver, Colorado Springs, Pike's Peak, Pueblo, the stupendous and world-famous Royal Gorge and Salt Lake City. Then they should visit the Grand Yellowstone National Park. You will never have the same opportunity and if you use the through Pullman service of the Burlington Route (F. B. & Q. R.R.) join one of those comfortable economical and care-free Personally Conducted Excursions, you can't afford to miss them. They are extra cost, but you will get all the most interesting points by daylight. Don't forget that.

Here's the idea: Get right down and write me how many expect to make the trip, just when you want to go, the point is, you can visit here and there, and I will get a trip especially fitted to your time and location when you will know right off it. If you decide to go, I will make arrangements for your completed trip and reserve sleeping berths, the time comes for you to start. Write today—before you forget.

W. A. Taylor, G. P. A. Burlington Route (F. B. & Q. R.R.), 228 No. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo.

Joe Reisner, a Chillicothe street pawnbroker, is confident that prowlers who have repeatedly visited his premises lately, have finally satisfied themselves that his store is impregnable.

Joe reported at police headquarters Tuesday evening that a sneak thief came over into his place from the rear of the Red Cross Pharmacy and succeeded in prying open the back door wide open. Joe said the thief evidently was bent on entering only the store, but discovered that there was no inside stairway leading to the store room.

Joe said that five weeks ago Dan Thomas and some friends went to the rear of the Red Cross pharmacy to investigate some noises, but found everything in order. But they had no sooner returned to the corner when a fellow bolted from the rear of Joe's place and disappeared down the family's staircase, but did not disturb a single thing. When the family returned they found the

back door wide open. Joe said the thief evidently was bent on entering only the store, but discovered that there was no inside stairway leading to the store room.

Joe Reisner thinks his store is burglar proof.

Less than an hour was required for the defense to succeed in building up a strong alibi for the accused, who prior to his incarceration in the county jail, was employed at the N. & W. terminals. Several witnesses also testified to his previous good character and reputation.

Stinnie was defended by Attorneys Miller, Miller and Searl, while Prosecuting Attorney Joseph T. Mickeldearp represented the state.

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FOR RENT:—Suite of well furnished rooms with bath for light housekeeping. 1734 Grandview. Phone 1342 N. 17-3

FOR RENT:—5 room cottage, bath, heat. 1742 2nd. 17-1

FOR RENT:—2 purebred single comb Rhode Island Red eggs. Setting of 15 for 60¢ at residence or delivered to city. Write George Bennett, Portsmouth, O. Route No. 1. 13-6

FOR SALE:—Rose combed White Leghorn roosters, fine stock, also White Wyandot eggs. J. F. Burgraf, Rushtown, O. 13-4

FOR SALE:—4 room cottage, pantry, two porches, cellar, water, gas, good barn, lot 32 by 120. Will sell at a bargain. Inquire 2014 15th St. 61f

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FOR RENT:—Furnished room, rent reasonable, all conveniences. 331 8th, above Chillicothe. 16-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished room for one or two gentlemen. 1544 7th. Phone 854 X. 16-3

FOR RENT:—3 room flat and store room, 2044 Robinson Ave., water, gas, will rent separate or as a whole. P. W. Kileyne, 1218 Grandview, Phone 1408 A. 26t

FOR RENT:—5 room two story house, water and gas, 106 Clowery, Phone 167 or 1403 4th. 13-4

FOR RENT:—Very desirable front room, steam heat, bath, electricity and phone. 644 Gallia. 131f

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ASSOCIATED PRESS DOES NOT VIOLATE ANTI-TRUST LAW, SAYS ATTY. GEN'L

Washington, March 17.—Attorney General Gregory, in a letter addressed to James M. Beck, counsel for the Sun Printing and Publishing association of New York holds that there is no ground for action by the federal authorities against the Associated Press under the anti-trust law. The attorney general's letter, dated March 12 and made public today is in part as follows:

"I have given consideration of the complaint against the Associated Press for alleged violations of the federal anti-trust act presented to my predecessor by you as counsel for the Sun Printing and Publishing association.

"The Associated Press was organized under the membership corporation law of the state of New York. According to its certificate of incorporation it is * * * Organization Is Operated On Cooperative Lines.

"An association of certain persons, who, owning or representing certain newspapers, unite in a mutual and co-operative organization for the collection and interchange, with greater economy and efficiency, of information and intelligence for publication in the newspapers owned or represented by them.

"The objects of the association as stated in the certificate, are:

"To gather, obtain and procure by its own instrumentalities by exchange with its members and by any other appropriate means, any and all kinds of information and intelligence, telegraphic and otherwise, for the use and benefit of its members and to furnish and supply the same to its members for publication in the newspapers owned or represented by them, under the subject to such regulations, conditions and limitations as may be prescribed by the by-laws; and the mutual co-operation benefit and protection of its members."

"The certificate further provides that:

"The corporation is not to make a profit nor to make or declare dividends and is not to engage in the business of selling intelligence, nor traffic in the same.

Cost of Operation of

Apportioned Among Members

"The cost of maintaining the news service of the corporation and all other expenses of the corporation are apportioned among the members by the board of directors in such a manner as it may deem equitable (Article IX, section 1).

"Broadly stated the news distributed by the Associated Press comes to it in two ways: First, from the reports made to it by the various members of happenings in their respective localities; and second, from correspondents, reporters and other agencies employed by it directly. The news of the world thus brought together is then distributed by the Associated Press to its members, principally, of course, by telegraph.

To that end it leases and operates in the neighborhood of thirty thousand miles of telegraph lines.

"Assuming that the kind of service in which the Associated Press is engaged in interstate commerce (a question not free from doubt), I am, nevertheless, of the opinion that it is no violation of the anti-trust act for a group of newspapers to form an association to collect and distribute news for their common benefit and to that end to agree to furnish the news collected by them only to each other or to the association; provided that no attempt is made to prevent members from purchasing or otherwise obtaining news from rival agencies. And, if that is true the corollary must be true, namely, that newspapers desiring to form and maintain such an association may determine who shall be and who shall not be their associates.

"This, of course, is not to say that such an association might not develop into an unlawful monopoly. The facts adduced, however, in my opinion, do not show that that has happened in the case of the Associated Press.

"It is, perhaps, unnecessary

for me to point out that if the Sun Printing and Publishing association is not satisfied with the conclusions I have reached it may itself bring suit against the Associated Press, either for an injunction or for damages, and thereby obtain a judicial determination as to the merits of its complaint.

"Regretting that the pressure of other business entitled to priority as to time of consideration has prevented an earlier disposition of this complaint, am, sincerely yours,

"T. W. GREGORY,
Attorney General."

Methods Have Withstood

The Closest Scrutiny

Washington, March 17.—Frank B. Noyes, president of the Associated Press, referring to the attorney general's letter said:

"The clean bill of health given the Associated Press by the attorney general after his study of the complaint of the New York Sun, is, of course, highly gratifying to the membership of the organization.

"It is more gratifying because it was the result of a long, careful and searching scrutiny by the department of justice of the object and form of the organization, its scope and its methods.

"Those charged with the management of the Associated Press have endeavored to govern its conduct with a full apprehension of the undoubtedly fact that its course should be, not only legally but ethically, controlled by the highest standards and in this we have felt that we were succeeding—so far as it is humanly possible to succeed.

"It is not the custom of the Associated Press to either shrink from or shrink from investigations of any of its activities—if fair we are content."

OPERATIONS CENTERED

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men, should prove, in the opinion of British observers, whether the Germans can muss men and retrieve ground lost by them with the same battering tactics they displayed last year. On the other hand, if the British can hold the positions gained by them it will go far toward attesting what may be expected when the allies begin their spring advance.

The outcome of the battle of the Przasnysz will demonstrate whether Field Marshal von Hindenburg again has failed and virtually nullified all his costly efforts to reach Warsaw.

Austrians Attempting To Relieve Przemysl

To the south the Austrians are attempting what they have tried many times before—to relieve the fortress of Przemysl. According to dispatches from Petrograd this latest effort, which was a northward advance from the Carpathians, has definitely fallen short, the Austrians having been checked in the center of their chief offensive movements. At Smolnik to the south of Lutskowka, in the meantime, the Russians are drawing closer to their lines around the Przemysl fortress.

Londan has received no confirmation of the report that the British cruiser Amethyst has penetrated the narrows of the Dardanelles as far as Nagara, and unless the destruction of the forts has been more rapid than officially has been reported, such afeat is regarded as unlikely. Nagara is the northern limit of the narrowest straits which a ship would have to run the gauntlet of the forts on both shores at ranges varying from 900 to 2,000 yards.

Call the Inter State Taxi Cabs. Safe, reliable and here to stay. adv 11-10

MRS. ANGLE ON STAND

(Continued From Page One) she was in a fainting condition "at the horror of having been down there alone with my friend, who might have been dying." No thought of calling for a doctor occurred to her. Later, when she saw blood on Ballou's hat, she fainted.

When she came to her senses she went to the window to get some air and saw an ambulance outside.

Wondered What People Would Think of Her

"Then," said the witness, "the thought of 'Jimmy' came to me, and I wondered 'what will people think of me for doing that?'

By this she meant, "putting him out in the street." Not that she would be blamed for his injury, but she felt ashamed of her weakness, which had prevented her from helping her friend.

Replying to a question of the state attorney Mrs. Angle said she had never seen Ballou intoxicated.

"Was he intoxicated that night?"

"In my judgment he was not."

Did Not Remember of Mopping Up Stairs

The witness' answer to many questions was that she could not remember. The state's attorney then asked if she could have mopped up the stairs or the halls during one of these lapses of memory. She replied that she did not remember, but did not think so.

A short recess was ordered and after leaving the courtroom Mrs. Angle fainted. She was revived, however, by her father and counsel and soon returned to the witness chair.

May Break Deadlock

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Declares Every Word Of Charges False

"I want to state most emphatically that every word of this is false and slanderous upon the manhood and personnel of the committee.

"At the request of Harry Fox, of Toledo, a member of the finance committee, who is a personal friend of Mr. Ayers, and upon the statement of Mr. Ayers that he represented the chamber of commerce of Cleveland, a part of the finance committee were his guests at Kiehl's theatre that evening and returning from there went directly to the hotel and retired. Every member paid his own hotel bill and has a receipt for the same."

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Los Angeles, Calif., March 16.—Frank Stripes, an aviator, fell 300 feet in an "airwell" at a motion picture city near here late today, jumped from the aeroplane when 20 feet from the ground, and died from his injuries shortly afterwards.

CINCINNATI PAINTERS GO BACK TO WORK

Cincinnati, March 17.—The strike of 1,100 union painters was ended here today and the men resumed work after reaching an agreement with the Master Painters' association. The agreement calls for an increase in wages and changes in working conditions.

THEATRICAL MAN ILL

Columbus, March 17.—Suffering from a stroke of apoplexy which he sustained Monday night, James V. Howell, manager of a Columbus theatre, lies critically ill at his home here. There is small chance for his recovery.

Head Stopped Up? Can't Breathe? Try the Vick Vap-O-Rub Treatment

Applied in Salve Form Over Head and Chest Hollows by Inhalation and Absorption.

Vapor treatments are best for inflammations of the air passages. The vapors carry the medication direct to the inflamed surfaces without disturbing the stomach, as internal medicines will do. A very convenient vapor treatment is a good application of Vick's "Vap-O-Rub" Salve over throat and chest, covered with a warm

VICK'S Croup and SALVE

Panama Civilians Register Protest

New York, March 17.—A committee representing the civilian employees on the Panama canal, headed by C. O. Simmons, chairman, which arrived here yesterday, was due to reach Washington today to ask for a conference with President Wilson. "Free rent has been part of the wages of canal employees—one of the considerations which induced me to live on the Isthmus," said Mr. Simmons.

"Now the men without representation are taxed by executive order for rent amounting to some \$200,000 a year. It is equivalent to a reduction in pay of 10 per cent for some men and more for others."

National Guard Of W. Va. Without Funds

Charleston, W. Va., March 17.—Legislature providing for \$25,000 a year for the maintenance of the National Guard will consist of only one man after June 20, when the present fiscal year expires, unless steps are taken in the meantime to borrow money with which to support the state militia. Governor H. D. Hatfield vetoed that part of the appropriation bill passed by the last leg-

WILL PROBE LOBBYING

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providing for such an investigation and that those who have made the charges, as well as members whose names have been mentioned will be given an opportunity to testify.

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NETHERLANDS PROHIBITS EXPORTATION OF PORK

The Hague, March 17. (Via London)—The Netherlands government has issued a decree prohibiting the exportation of pork in any form.

DEMOCRATS SUCCESSFUL

Hoboken, N. J., March 17.—In the first election held here under the commission form of government the Democrats elected all five commissioners. The result of the election became known today.

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Whenever you feel a cold coming on think of the full name LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for this signature on the box. Price 25 cents.

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HUGE AUSTRIAN GUN TRAINED ON RUSS POSITIONS NEAR WARSAW



At the right is seen one of the large Austrian 30.5 cm. guns which were used with such great effect against the Russian positions in the vicinity of Warsaw. At the left several soldiers are seen cutting a 500-pound shell along the wooden plank tracks to be loaded into the gun. These Austrian guns are similar in construction to the 42 centimeter Krupp guns used by the Germans.

GERMANS FIERCELY BOMBARD NIEUPORT

HAS OPENED SHOP

Wrong Man.

William Brammel, jailer of Fleming county, Ky., passed through here Wednesday en route from Chillicothe, where he expected to find Mitchell Manning, an escaped "boot-legger" in jail, but the prisoner proved to be the wrong man.

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as the safest, surest and most satisfactory. Sold only by 10 cents.
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1 dozen fresh Eggs	19c
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1 bushel fine Potatoes	65c
Lard and Bacon	12 and 14c
Flour	.45, .60, .80, .90 and \$1.00

Exhibit Tonight "A BANAKIE MAIDEN" 2 REELS "WHEN FATE REBELLED"-COMEDY

TOMORROW
"The Deadly Spark", 2 reels
"A Dark Lover's Play", Keystone comedy

Special
Music
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PLANS FOR MOTORIZING THE FIRE DEPARTMENT ARE READY FOR COUNCIL

The city council fire committee through its chairman, Charles W. Wilson, will make its supplemental and final report to council tonight on the proposed motorization of the fire department.

The committee will recommend first, the purchase of two motor driven combination hose and chemical apparatus with centrifugal pump attachments to take the place of the two horse drawn hose reels at the Seventh street and Hill Top engine houses.

Second, the purchase of a modern automatic motor driven 85 ft. aerial ladder wagon with water pipe attachment to take the place of the present horse drawn ladder wagon.

Third, that a thorough examination be made by competent men and if found that the two present steamers are in such condition that they will warrant it, that they be equipped with two wheel front drive tractors.

Fourth, should either or both of the steamers not warrant the

expenditure such changes would require that one new combination hose and pumping engine of sufficient size and one additional combination chemical and hose wagon be purchased.

Fifth, that one fire chief's car be purchased.

The committee personally favors the retention of one or both of the present steamers if an examination will show that they still have years of service left in them and that they will warrant equipping them with tractors.

They could be held in reserve for large conflagrations only, for 85 per cent of the fires in cities nowadays are fought with the combination wagons.

It is to determine their future usefulness or unfitness that the committee will ask the examination which will be left in the hands of the city board of control. It is conservatively estimated that the complete motorizing of the Portsmouth fire department will mean an outlay of \$30,000 to \$35,000.

Seventh Regiment Will Reorganize

Columbus, O., March 17.—Agreement has been reached that the Seventh Regiment, Ohio National Guard, against which an order to muster out was issued during the closing days of the administration of former Adjutant-General Geo. H. Wood, is to be reorganized soon. The place of the Portsmouth company, mustered out of service, is to be taken by a new company to be organized at Middleport. The order mustering out the regiment has been suspended until April 1.

Wheeling Firm To Open Offices Here

Headquarters for a West Virginia firm are to be established in Wheeling, as the Whealing Corrugating Company of Wheeling, W. Va., has secured office room at the plant of the Whitaker Glasser Co.

J. O. Entschkin will act as local manager and will have at least four traveling men operating out of Wheeling. He is in the city shaping up plans to permanently open the office some time next week.

Top Victim

Wilson Linton, a Times carrier,

is laid up at his home on Wash-

ington street, as the result of an

injury just below the eye sustain-

ed while spinning a top Monday.

The Whealing firm enjoys an extensive trade and through its local offices plans to make a strong bid for Ohio, West Virginia and Kentucky business.

Social A Success

Members and friends of the Pleasant Green Baptist church enjoyed an unique social given by Miss Glaseco and her committee at the parsonage Tuesday evening.

Chilean pie and a nice line of entrees were served. A neat sum was realized and all enjoyed the evening.

GIRLS! CLEAN AND BEAUTIFY HAIR NO DANDRUFF-25 CENT DANDERINE

Surely try a "Danderine Hair Cleanse" if you wish to immediately double the beauty of your hair. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil—in a few minutes you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and abundant and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and luxuriance.

Besides beautifying the hair, dissolves every particle of dandruff invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair. Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

You can surely have pretty,

soft, lustrous hair, and lots of it,

if you will just get a 25 cent bottle of Knayton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and try it as directed.

Special attention to repairs.

Walkers Plumbing Co. adv.

R. & E. Clemens, new addition, 1023 Ninth street, \$300. Contractor Shively.

Returns From Cincinnati

Harry Davis, who for the past six months had been located in Cincinnati, has returned to Portsmouth. He will, in a few days, return to his old job in the plant of the Whitaker-Glasser Company.

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COMMUNICATION FROM MISTO
RUFUS SHOO—DE GEMAH
WHO CALLED ON YOU
YESTERDAY

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DATS DE GEMAH JO' WHOOW WHOSE
CAL YO HAVE BEEN WRITH SONGS
ABOUT—HE HAD DONE DECIDE TO
CHALLENGE YO' TO A MORTAL
BOMBAT

USES SAFETY RAZOR TO CUT HIS THROAT

From evidence, secured by a committee composed of Dr. A. S. Denmon, E. E. Fullerton and Bert Tanner, prominent citizens of Greenup, appointed to look into the death of Arthur R. Denmon, who committed suicide in the toilet room, Blood stains were found on it by the train crew, who reported their findings to the C. & O. officials. An effort will be made to recover the blade. The body of the victim was Wednesday shipped to relatives at Ashland, Va. E. E. Fullerton stated Wednesday that in his opinion it was a plain case of suicide and that no postmortem was necessary.

Architect Arthur Devoss has been commissioned to prepare plans for an airdome that Messes Fred Beloit, John Reissinger and Orville Purdy will build this spring on Main street, Sciotoville.

It will have an attractive front, and a seating capacity of 450.

PLANS FOR AIRDOOME

Cincinnati, O., March 17—Arguments to show that the railroads were not justified in the trap or ferry car service were begun yesterday by shippers' witnesses at the second day of the Interstate Commerce Commission hearing in the federal building. The witnesses sought to prove that the cost to the carriers was offset by reason of the fact that the expense was balanced by the freight house service.

The hearing will probably come to a conclusion late tonight, according to the intimation yesterday. The principal witness for

Portsmouth Men Were Witnesses

the shippers was Assistant Traffic Manager Buckridge of the American Tobacco Company. Evidence to sustain the shippers' charges were also offered by J. L. Rooney, traffic manager of the American Rolling Mill Company, of Middletown, Ohio; Attorney E. V. Marshall, of Piqua, Ohio; A. B. Singleton, traffic manager of the Whittaker-Glessner Company, of Portsmouth, Ohio; A. Cramer, of the Breege Manufacturing Co., of Portsmouth, Ohio, and others.

The railroads admitted the lack of station facilities at some points and detailed the reason for the conditions.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., March 17, 1915.
(75th Meridian Times.)
Portsmouth, O., Feb. 13, 1915.

	Temp sens high	Temp present	Temp low	Chg since report	Rel precip now	Rel precip since report
Franklin	15	23.9	10.2	.00		
Greensboro	18	8.0 R	11.1	.00		
Pittsburgh	22	2.8	10.2	.00		
Wheeling	36	6.0 P	0.0	.00		
Zanesville	25	9.0 P	-0.1	.00		
Parkersburg	36	8.1 P	-0.2	.00		
Charleston	30	5.6 P	-0.1	.40		
Pt. Pleasant	39	8.3 P	-0.4	.00		
Catlettburg	50	12.8 P	-0.5	.30		
Portsmouth	50	13.5 P	-0.5	.06		
Cincinnati	50	15.9 P	-0.5	.00		

FORECAST

Fair over upper Ohio valley to-night and Thursday.

River will fall slowly.

H. C. DONNALLY,
River Observer.

The Ohio river continues falling from headwaters down. The stage here was 13 1-2 feet. The steamer City of Parkersburg passed up Wednesday morning for Pittsburgh. Thursday's packet departures: Courier for Cincinnati at 11 a.m.; Klondike for Rome at 2 p.m.; Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p.m.; Greendale for Pomeroy at 6 p.m.

Was In Columbus

R. E. Scott, passenger agent of the N. & W., was in Columbus on business Tuesday.

Clerks Met

The Retail Clerks' Union met in semi-monthly session Tuesday night.

Rexall
Dyspepsia Tablets
Will Relieve Your Indigestion
Wadster Bros.

The scheme is designed to promote better penmanship in the

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Miss Dolly Wise

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and sees me quite a lot. Advise me what to do, please, for I love him so much, and he does me.

WORRIED GIRL.

Dolly Wise.—Please tell me where Mandalay is, also how to pronounce "San Jose" and where it is located. Thank you.

WANT TO KNOW.

Mandalay is a city in India and has a population of 138,299. There is a city by the name San Jose in California and one in Costa Rica. It is pronounced San Hu-sa with the accent on the last syllable.

Cincinnati, O., March 14th.—Dear Dolly—I am a girl of 19 and a daily reader of The Times. I would like to ask you a question or two. What is your opinion of a stage girl? I am very fond of being an actress. Do you think I am too young? I also have several remarks about shape and beauty. I am 5 foot, 11 1/2 inches and weigh 173 pounds, and fair complexioned with blue eyes and dark brown wavy hair. Now Dolly tell me the truth, do you think I am pretty, or do you just think they are trying to jolly me along? I know you will tell me the truth, so that is why I am writing to you for advice. Now Dolly please answer these questions in the Times this evening and also tell me how my writing and spelling is.

BRIGHT EYES.

Some stage girls are all right; others are not. It all depends on the girl. It requires more than good looks to be a successful actress. Why not call on some of the theatrical managers in your home city and talk the matter over with them. I can't tell whether or not you are good looking without seeing you. Your writing is good, but you do not know how to punctuate a letter. You should also capitalize proper names.

WANT TO KNOW.

Let each guest suggest a game and then all play that game. The library was begun in 1901 and finished in 1903.

Dear Miss Wise.—What kind of games should a girl play when she has a party?

R. H.—Play any of the old-fashioned games that you play out doors. You can get a book of games at a book store.

Dear Miss Wise.—I have been keeping company with a boy of the same age for three years, and now the last year I have thought more of him than ever. I love him so much and he loves me.

My father and mother, just lately, don't want me to have anything to do with this boy. Yesterday I invited him in, and my father saw me and told this boy he did not want him to speak to me or anything. But I love him so, and it pretty nearly breaks my heart. I have tried to find out why they don't want me to speak to this boy, but they won't tell me. I think they just dislike him. My parents are very strict. He lives right back of me,

closed is very pretty for a girl your age. It would be pretty piped in a color to match the figure in the girdle, that is the pink. I would have a girdle of the same goods or a plain blue one. A white lace gimpape to match the white flower would look better than the cream lace. However, the cream would be all right. I would have a low neck and short sleeves for late spring and summer wear.

Favorite Black Cake

One Egg Cake—One cup molasses, 1/2 cup sugar, 1 egg, butter size of an egg, melted, salt and spices, 1 cup boiling water, add fruit and stir together with 2 1/2 cups flour.



Here's Your Pound of Coffee, Madam!

Here's Your 100 Grains of Caffeine, Doctor!

Same Drug--Different Form

More and more, it is becoming common knowledge that an ordinary cup of coffee contains about 2 1/2 grains of caffeine, an irritating drug.

Because of this drug, coffee drinking frequently raises the heart, interferes with digestion, upsets the nerves, and leaves one weak and depressed. As a drug, caffeine has medicinal value, but only when administered by a competent physician.

If constant use of coffee, with its drug content, agrees with you, why—keep right on—no one should object.

But thousands of people have rid themselves of coffee troubles, and experienced wonderful improvement in health by changing to

POSTUM

The pure food-drink

Postum is made of wheat and a bit of wholesome molasses. It tastes fine, snappy flavor much like that of Old City Java, but contains no caffeine or any other harmful substance.

Postum now comes in two forms: Postum Cereal, which has to be heated, the and 25c packages; Instant Postum, a concentrated, soluble form, made in the cup instantly, with hot water, 30c and 50c tins. A delightful beverage either way, and cost per cup is about the same.

"There's a Reason" for POSTUM

Sold by grocers everywhere.

SOCIETY

Mrs. George Mytinger and Miss Gertrude Davidson were hostesses at last evening's meeting of the Clover Club at Mrs. Mytinger's home on Thimblewood avenue. Miss Hancock, guest of Miss Leonie Labold, was the only guest. Twenty-five members were present. Arrangements were made to give \$10 to the Day Nursery. Mrs. Alan Jordan gave a talk on the work done by the Mothers' Club of the Fourth street school and gave an invitation to the club to attend the lecture to be given next Tuesday evening by Dora Sundee Bachman, of Columbus, in the High school auditorium. Mrs. Jordan also invited the members to a "tea" to be given at her handsome home on Court street next Tuesday afternoon, from 3 till 5 o'clock, in honor of Mrs. Bachman. The program included the following:

Modern Tragedies and Tragediennes, a comparison. Irving and Roth—Mrs. Dora Carey Miller.

Modern Tragediennes—Miss Anna Padan.

Historic Style of Tomasso Salvini, John McCulloch and Lawrence Barrett—Mrs. Edgar Appel.

Behind the Scenes," written by Miss Alice Derer and read by her sister, Mrs. W. R. Sprague.

The hostesses served a dainty repast at the end of the program. The cakes were iced with shambrocks.

Misses Edna Davis and Jeannette Sibley will be hostesses at the next meeting, the Tuesday after Holy week.

E. C. Scott, a well-known X. & W. Truman and wife, of 1020 Sixth street, left Tuesday for a few days' visit to relatives at Jackson, O.

Mr. F. S. Ward, of Gallipolis, spent Sunday here with his wife, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Lockwood, of Fourth and Sutton streets.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Appel, of Lucasville, entertained at supper Monday evening in honor of Miss Laura Anderson, of Cincinnati. Misses Marguerite Miller, Hazel McKinley and Lena Sampson were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rardin and son, Ted, were visiting Mrs. Rardin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brant, of Lucasville, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. George Collins, of 413 Third street, has returned home after spending several weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brooks, of Waller street, during their recent illness.

Those present were Mesdames Ethel Miller, Ruth Stout, Martha Price, Anna Taylor, Esther Finey, Norma Stewart, Laura Kingery, Mollie Marsh, Laura Hood, Anna Williams, Roma Crupper, Eugenie Kent, Lola Nagel, Delta Haquard, Delia Sheppard, Clara Walden, Lora Hoskins, Emma Sikes, Miss Lizzie Ketter, Helen Elsesser, Maurita Sikes, Mabel Kent, Ruth and Pauline Walden, baby "Jack" Walden. The hostess served fruit salad, doughnuts and coffee.

Miss Bertha Minor, of Augusta, Ky., who came up to attend the funeral of her uncle, Mr. Henry Smith, will remain for a few days' visit with Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Clarence Nodder.

Mrs. John A. Dukes, of Eighth street, is visiting her daughters, Mrs. B. R. Wright and Mrs. D. W. Shaeffer, of Puddles.

Class No. 2, Legal Beavers, of the First Christian church, will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert F. Dodds, 911 Fourth street, Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. J. D. Creveling, of Ninth street, left Wednesday for Delaware to spend several days with relatives in that city.

The teachers of the Bond street school participated in a St. Patrick's Day party this afternoon, in the rest room at the school. The twelve teachers assembled in the rest room after school and enjoyed a social hour. Delicious refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Carrie Zottman, Alice Collins, Philippine Yost, Stella McCall, Marcia Storch, Louise Small, Alice Maire, Mand Smith, Mamie Musser, Gertrude Davidson, Ladore White and Mrs. A. C. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson McCain will entertain the members of the Sew and Sew Club and their husbands this evening at their home on Third street.

The Mothers' Club of the Fourth street school will entertain with an informal tea next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alan Jordan, on Court street, to meet Mrs. Dora Sundee Bachman, of Columbus, who will give an interesting lecture Tuesday evening in the High School Auditorium. Any one interested in the club is invited to attend the tea.

Mrs. S. S. Gaffey's home on Olive street, was prettily decorated in potted plants, carnations and similes in readiness for the regular monthly meeting of the Manly Woman's Missionary Society yesterday afternoon. "In Red Man's Land" was the topic for the afternoon's program. Thirty-five was the number of members present. Miss Katherine Dawson, one of our attractive young clergymen, was present and gave delightful readings, which were much enjoyed by all present. St. Patrick's Day colors were carried out in the decorations. Mrs. Gaffey was assisted in serving the refreshments by Misses Margaret Rideout, Ruth Murfin and Blanche Partlow, attired in white gowns with green sashes, to carry out the appropriate color scheme. Bows of green ribbon were the favors.

Mrs. Albert Wilhelm received a letter from Mrs. Frank Batt (Antoinette Czerwinski) of Buffalo, N.Y., formerly of Portsmouth, telling of the death of her mother, Mrs. A. P. Czerwinski, which occurred January 29th, due to cancer. Professor Czerwinski died several years ago. They resided in Portsmouth for several years and made many friends while here. The Czerwinski Trio was named for Professor Czerwinski.

Rev. and Mrs. Pietsmeyer have us guests at the parsonage at Lucasville his aunt and cousin, Mrs. Jane Perdue, and daughter, Miss Miriam, of Washington, C. H.

The Diterbein Guild of the United Brethren church met last evening at the home of Mrs. George Wilkerson, where officers for the new year were elected as follows: President—Mrs. Wilkerson.

Vice-President—Miss Edna Bowser.

Secretary—Mrs. Henry Saunders.

Assisting Secretary—Miss Minnie Erick.

Treasurer—Miss Maud Smith.

Assisting Treasurer—Mrs. William Johnson.

There were ten members and seven visitors present. After the business an art contest was included in the pleasures of the social hour. Mrs. Harry Anderson won the prize, a St. Patrick's pig. Mrs. Wilkerson was elected delegate to the convention to be held at Canal Winchester. The hostess served ice cream and cake.

Mrs. Albert McFarland, of Los Angeles, Cal., formerly of Portsmouth, recently entertained several Portsmouth friends who are visiting in California. Among the guests were Judge and Mrs. James W. Brown; Mr. and Mrs. Levi D. York; Mr. and Mrs. George D. Selby; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hurst, of Kansas, formerly of Portsmouth; and Mrs. J. L. Watkins, of Los Angeles, Cal. The evening was one of great pleasure to all present, as they enjoyed talking over old times in good old Portsmouth.

Albert Wilhelm started yesterday on his regular trip through Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska.

Mr. George Doherty, of Cincinnati, is the guest of his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lewis, of Fourth and Clay streets.

The Central W. C. T. U. met last evening at the home of Mrs. J. J. Davidson, where there was a good attendance. A short prayer was offered for the success of the revivial meeting to be held at Trinity church. Mrs. J. P. Smith led the devotions. Mrs. Elm Kline and Mrs. William Bridges, of the Mothers' Club of the Fourth street school, were present. Mrs. Kline gave a talk on the work of the Mothers' Club, and invited the members of the W. C. T. U. to the lecture next Tuesday evening at the High School to be given by Mrs. Dora Sundee Bachman of Columbus, and also asked all to register so they could vote for the school board candidate.

"Sabbath Observance" was the topic of the evening's program.

"The Lord's Day a Farmer Down's" was read by Mrs. C. C. Covington.

"Sabbath and Science" was a reading given by Mrs. Davidson.

Arrangements were made to complete the organization of the L. T. L. next Wednesday afternoon.

The next regular meeting will not be held until April 20th at the lunch room at the home of Mrs. Cooper, on Eighth street.

Miss Edna May, of Sciotoville, was in the city shopping Wednesday.

Miss M. McCoy, of Wheelersburg, was a visitor in the city Wednesday.

Miss Mary Tomlinson will leave Thursday for Morgantown, W. Va., where she will spend most of the summer with relatives.

A Food and Nerve Tonic

is frequently required by old age. We always recommend

Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion

an ideal emollient for this purpose.

Wm. B. W. B.—Simply use this cream every day on your face, hands, neck and shoulders, and in a very short

time you will find the most decided change in your complexion. It never stains, producing a most delicate and plump and that to the skin. It is very beautifier without a peer, and is very economical.

JESTER C. S.—Developing the bust is a definite goal and cannot always be attained. However, a combination of riotous riotous and bladders, producing a most delightful result, is not always the best. What every woman wants and can now obtain is the quick removal of wrinkles, not a process of slow shrinking. This will show wonderful results in a few weeks time. The following formula is a great help:

1/2 oz. of soap, 1/2 oz. of glycerin, 1/2 oz. of oil of lavender and bladders.

The action of this soap is to draw out the moisture from the skin, and the glycerin is to keep the skin soft and supple.

After this has been applied, the oil of lavender is to make the skin soft and supple.

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JOE CARR NAMED AS NEW HEAD OF THE O. S. LEAGUE

Lexington, Ky., March 17.—Joseph Carr, of Columbus, Ohio, was elected president of the Ohio State League of baseball clubs at a meeting of magnates of the league held here last night. Mr. Carr was secretary of the organization and succeeds R. W. Read, who resigned as president.

The clubs represented at the meeting were Mayfield, Frankfort, and Lexington, Ky.; Huntington and Charleston, W. Va.; Portsmouth, and Trouton, and Chillicothe, Ohio.

Another meeting will be held at Chillicothe next Sunday for the purpose of attending to details in connection with the admission of clubs for the coming season. It is planned to open the season in May and to close it on Labor Day.

Portsmouth was represented at the meeting by President William Gableman and Wm. Zellmann. Bloody Beets represented Charleston, Dick Smith and Mayor A. J. Hough represented Trouton, Tom Sheets and J. T. Looney, Lexington, Thos. Russell, Mayfield, Roger Burton, Hugane and Pat Bohannon, Frankfort and Edward Cippen, Chillicothe.

There is talk of Josue Devore, National League, taking charge of the Chillicothe Blues.

President Gableman wired from Lexington Wednesday said:

"If a six club league is formed Chillicothe has the call. At Sunday's meeting a schedule committee will be received, new by-laws adopted and date of posting guarantee will be set. If an eight club league is formed it is almost certain to be made up by Charleston, Portsmouth, Ironton, Chillicothe, Mayfield, Lexington, Frankfort and Huntington or Richmond, Ky."

Dillon Too Fast

Jack Dillon had a shade on Sunboat Smith in their two-round fight in Milwaukee Tuesday night. According to ringold experts, Dillon was too fast for Smith in a ten round fight.

Once More Won't Hurt You

Manager Charley Dooin, of the Reds, is going to teach the Reds fledglings how to steal bases. We suppose the auburn-topped lad is capable of teaching the art of base-pilfering inasmuch as he stole 5 bases last year.

Reds Will Play Detroit

The Reds will play an exhibition game at Detroit on Monday, May 10, en route from Cincinnati to New York on their first eastern trip. It will be the first

appearance of the Cincinnati team in the Michigan metropolis for over a dozen years.

If Freddie really intends to quit in another year he'll quit with his little, for there's no chance to get him into a twenty-round go at this stage, and there's no lightweight now before the public who figures to stop the champ in ten rounds.

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The league has but three more weeks to run, but the finish will be quite exciting, judging from the closeness of the race. The scores:

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St. Patrick's Day



This Shape was all the Rage at one time.
Every man wore a hat of this style and shape.

It Is Different Now

Here Are THREE of the Leaders



.. Always Something New ..

\$2.00
and
\$3.00

.. Watch My Windows..

PROMINENT METHODISTS AT COLUMBUS MEETING

May Quit Diamond For Fruit Business

Columbus, March 17.—Officials and laymen of the Methodist Episcopal church gathered here today for the opening tonight of the Ohio convention of Methodist men which will last through Thursday and Friday and over which Bishop William F. Anderson of Cincinnati is to be the presiding officer.

Among the speakers who are expected to appear before the convention are Bishop Luther B. Wilson, of New York; Bishop Hunter C. Stuz of Buenos Aires, Argentina; former Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks of Indianapolis; Herbert Welch, president of the Ohio Wesleyan University, and John R. Mott, missionary and Y. M. C. A. worker.

A parade in which more than 5,000 men are expected to take part, will be a feature of Thursday's program. Preliminary sessions in charge of Bishop Wilson were held late today.

Several prominent local Methodists will be among the thousands of Methodists from Ohio who will participate in the Ohio Convention of Methodist men, which opens this evening in Memorial Hall at Columbus, and continues for three days.

The program for the three days' meeting is one of unusual power and interest, and is based on an extensive survey of social, industrial, immigrant, rural, educational, temperance, missionary, and evangelistic problems and possibilities for Ohio Methodism. Bishop W. F. Anderson of Cincinnati, head of the Ohio Methodist Conference, will preside at the sessions. Lantern slides showing actual conditions will precede each lecture.

Among the famous speakers who will address the convention are Bishops W. F. Anderson and Luther B. Wilson; John R. Mott, Charles W. Fairbanks, S. L. Taylor, Samuel Higginbottom, A. E. Cory, W. E. Doughty, Harry F. Ward, Edgar Bluke, Thomas Nicholson, Clarence True Wilson, W. F. Oldham, C. H. Boswell, P. V. Mavety, E. W. Halford, and S. P. Turner.

Included in the Portsmouth delegation during the three days are the following: Rev. A. R. Connell, J. S. Rardin, Roger Selby, J. M. Graham, Rev. George W. Grimes, Rev. J. W. Dillon, of Bigelow M. E. church; Rev. G. L. Strecker, John T. Breece, W. B. Anderson, John Stockham, George C. Guiter, John McMillan, Louis W. Bragdon, and W. R. Graham, of Trinity M. E. church; Rev. W. T. Gilliland and Philip Maris of Manly M. E. church, and Charles J. Miller of the Fourth Street M. E. church.

Over four thousand Methodist men are expected to attend the sessions.

Best Laxative For Children

When your baby is cross and fretful instead of the happy, laughing little dear you are accustomed to, in all probability the digestion has become deranged and the bowels need attention. Give it a mild laxative digest the irritability and bring back the happy content of babyhood.

The very best laxative for children is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup up Peppermint, because it contains no opiate or narcotic drug, is pleasant tasting and acts gently, but surely, without griping or other distress. Druggists sell Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Peppermint at fifty cents, and one dollar a bottle. For a free trial bottle write to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 452 Washington St., Monticello, Ills.

Pete Childs, who brought Ohio State league pennants and a raft of good, saleable ball players to Portsmouth, is thinking seriously of giving up his diamond career to go into the fruit business in Atlanta, where he has relatives. This information was conveyed in a letter to Corney Jeffords from Mr. Childs. Fans around the Ohio State will learn this with regret as Pete was well liked by players and fans alike for his gen-

erally conduct on and off the field. Nothing has been said about Childs returning here and he evidently figures on quitting the game judging from the tone of his letter to Mr. Jeffords. With the salary limit reduced to \$1,000 it is highly probable that there will be many bench managers in the Ohio State league this season.

It was reported that Childs may accept a scholarship with the Athletics, but rumor has never been verified by Childs.

PARROT WAS STEWART'S TRIBUTE TO ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Irvin H. Stewart, proprietor of the Cut Rate medicine store in the Turkey Block, dug up one of the most original St. Patrick's Day green, the parrot attended much badges seen Wednesday. He ap-

peared upon the streets with a full fledged parrot on his shoulder. In his shimmering dress of

most original St. Patrick's Day green, the parrot attracted much

attention.

Seven Converted At The Baptist Revival

Revival services at the Hutchins Street Baptist church which started March 7, with Rev. W. W. Crabtree in charge, are growing steadily in interest, and last night there were seven converts. There were three visiting pastors present last night, Rev. Reuben Mumford, pastor of the Madison Baptist church; Rev. L. J. Hopper,

pastor of the United Brethren church, and Rev. James Beleher of Ostrander, Evangelist. John W. Lynn and Bert Crabtree of Stockdale, a brother of the evangelist, were also present.

The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings, which are held each night beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

GOLD DISCOVERED IN PORTSMOUTH

Gold was found on Sixth street Wednesday evening.

The gold fever struck the residents. Visions of prospecting for the valuable grains of the elusive dust flitted across the horizon of many of the usually conservative citizens.

Faint rumors of a "find" first sifted into the households, communicated from lip to lip. Stories of a rich strike at first, only meager and slim in detail, were soon verified.

The much coveted, valuable dust had actually been found on Sixth street.

Think of it! A strike in the heart of Portsmouth. A fortune undoubtedly made in a minute. Many more fortunes likely to be accumulated by others through the mere luck of a strike and the reward of earnest search.

Judge A. Z. Blair was the man to discover the gold. Walking briskly along, affie hood, the judge suddenly stumbled onto the great find. He could "hardly believe his eyes." His eyes bulged, his breath came in short, sharp, quick gasps. He grasped for support—but recovered his strength in time.

Before him was enough gold dust to make him wealthy for life. Right at the corner of Sixth and Adams street lay the great find. It was too good to be true. To prevent anyone from depriving him of the honor and fruits of his

HAVE YOU HAD THE GRIP?

The debility and depression following an attack of the grip is not a fancied disorder. "Post-grippe neurasthenia" is the medical name for this condition and its seriousness is recognized by all medical writers.

One authority says: "Broadly speaking, every victim of the grip will suffer from post-grippe neurasthenia also. Lowering of nervous tone, with increased irritability is the most striking effect of the disease, with languor of mind and body, disturbed sleep and vague pains in the head and elsewhere."

Every sufferer will recognize the symptoms. What is the remedy?

After the fever has passed and the influence has subsided, diet should be more liberal but be limited to articles easily digested; rest and sufficient sleep are essential and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the only medicine required in most cases. This treatment should be continued until the patient is completely restored to normal health and spirits. It is a specific treatment and rarely if ever fails.

Send today for the booklet "Building Up the Blood." It is free if you mention this paper. Address the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

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JOHN L. BERRIDGE STRUCK BY AN N. & W. TRAIN

Dies Enroute To Ironton Hospital

Stepping from behind a cut of cars that obscured N. & W. passenger train No. 16 at 12:40 Wednesday afternoon, John L. Berridge, retired farmer of Hanging Rock, walked directly in the path of the rapidly moving train near Hanging Rock. The engine hurled him thirty feet.

Berridge was placed on the train and hurried to Ironton. While at the depot in that city, waiting for an ambulance to convey him to a hospital Berridge passed away.

His skull was crushed and one foot was cut off. His brains were oozing out when trainmen picked him up.

Mr. Berridge was 72 years old of police of Ironton, and present and for 20 years was a resident of Ironton, and Alonzo Berridge, who is in DuBois, Pa., residing in Green Township. Besides his wife, Mrs. Ruth Elliott, he leaves two sons, C. E. Berridge, former chief engineer of death to Berridge.

Inspected Site For New Business Block

MOTHER IS MISSING

With a view of looking into the advisability of putting up a business block on the site of the Opera House fire, the building to cover properties owned by the Schloss heirs, Paul Esselborn and owners of the Grand, an out of town man several days ago, it was learned Wednesday, looked over the proposed site.

He was shown around by Mr. Esselborn, who stated Wednesday that it was his opinion that nothing would result from the man's visit as he found the property a trifle too expensive for his needs.

Sells Out.

F. M. R. Carson, on Wednesday sold one of his buildings, located on Eighteenth street, near Waller at 12:15 P.M. Mr. Carson has several desirable lots in that neighborhood.

Taxicab service anywhere in the city or county. The Interstate, the old reliable. 12:15 P.M.

Officers Leave.

Sergeant John Heiniger and Corporal William Osborne, who have been in charge of the local recruiting station, ordered abandoned, will leave Thursday morning for Huntington, W. Va. Corporal Osborne may be assigned to Fort Sloone, N. Y.

EASE YOUR TIRED ACHING JOINTS!

Hoff's German Liniment works like magic on tired aching joints and muscles. This famous stainless, glistening, refreshing oil liniment penetrates to the seat of pain and drives it away quickly, and surely. Apply Hoff's Liniment where the pain is. It is pure and delicate as snow and won't soil the finest clothes.

Sold in handy bottles by all druggists—a quarter pint for a quarter dollar, half size, 50c. Result absolutely guaranteed, or druggist will return your money without argument. Accept no substitute.

Re-Inspect Inspection

Assistant State Fire Marshal Bell spent Wednesday here re-inspecting the fire prevention inspection made by his department last fall as to defective blues, rubber hose, attachments, etc. He was shown about by Fire Chief W. A. McQuaile until the latter suffered a sick spell. Assistant Fire Chief Charles Huel relieved him.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Thomas Cornwell, 23, an employee of the Bremen Manufacturing company and Virginia Rice, 21, both of this city, Rev. Allen.

Wilmer Ross Herdman, 24, bookkeeper, of Seaman, Adams county and Miss Sylvia M. Ferguson, 20, a telephone operator, of this city. Squire John W. Byrom officiated. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ferguson, of Fourth street.

Southworth Leaves

"Billy" Southworth leaves tomorrow morning for Cincinnati to proceed to the Cleveland Association team's training grounds at Thomasville, Ga., Thursday night. He will be in training three weeks before returning home when the Cleveland team plays three exhibition games here on April 10, 11 and 12.

Let Us Introduce

Our modern methods of eye fitting. Thousands have been relieved and benefitted through us. Why not you?

Everything that scientific exactness demands in eye-testing, we employ. Our 10,000 patients are our best testimonials.

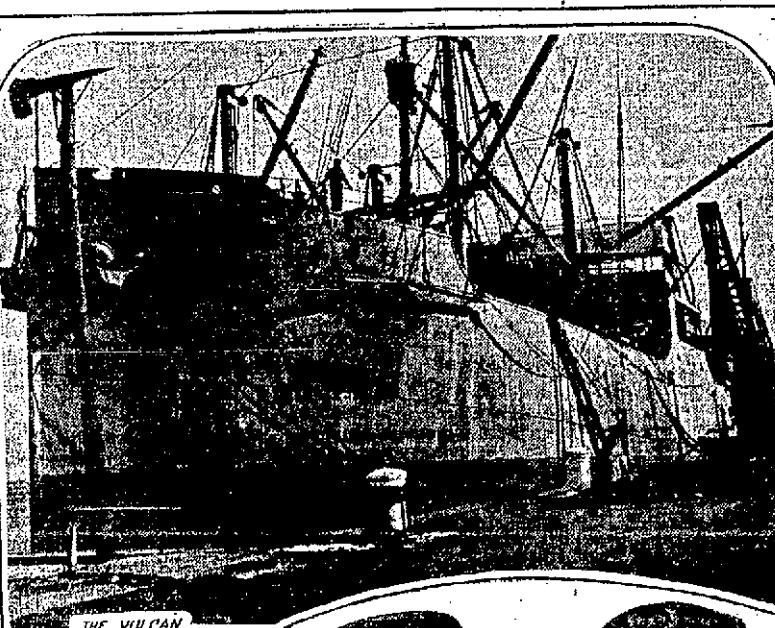
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In Use For Over 30 Years

Always ready
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CARRIES FOOD FOR SUFFERING JEWS



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St. Patrick's Day Fittingly Observed In Portsmouth

Green badges and green ribbons of various hues dangled breezily from coat lapels Wednesday as Saint Patrick's Day was observed in the city in the customary way.

Judging from the wealth of green worn today all nationalities joined in the celebration of the annual day of one of Ireland's most beloved sons. The memory of this patron saint was made green in Portsmouth Wednesday.

Impressional services appropriate to the day were held in the Holy Redeemer church Wednesday morning by the Rev. J. E. Mc-

Guirk, who paid the Patron Saint a beautiful and most worthy tribute. High mass was sung at 8 o'clock and the children of the Holy Redeemer church took part in the services. The following appropriate Irish airs were played on the chimes by Edward Keen: "The Harp That Once Through Tara Sound," "Wearin' of the Green," "All Praise to St. Patrick," and "Old Erin, Shamrock and You."

Many green garments were worn Wednesday, the Herms Floreal company reporting an unusually heavy demand for them.

BRITISH FLEET SUFFERS REVERSE IN DARDANELLES

Candidates Line Up

Dardanelles, Friday, March 12 (via Constantinople, March 14 and London, March 17)—British met with reverses here today in attempting to clear the Dardanelles of mines. They lost three mine clearing ships and one sailing vessel. Considerable damage inflicted to one British cruiser under whose protection the operations were undertaken. Identity of this cruiser has not been established.

New School Authorized

Word was received at Fullerton, Wednesday, that the Zion school district had been divided into two districts and this would give the village an additional school house. The change was made by Miss Sophia Kitchen, district school supervisor, and Mason French has been named as trustee for new schools.

Dr. J. B. Ray of Harrisonville, was reported very low Wednesday.

Secured License.

John Kolso secured a city license Wednesday to operate three pool tables at his new location, the Lam Husted stand, corner of Eighth and Campbell avenue.

Catalogues Sent Out

The Selby Shoe Company is busy mailing stock catalogues to its customers. It was stated Wednesday that 12,000 catalogues would be sent out.

COUGHS AND BRONCHITIS

Treated instantly with 2 ounces of Schiltmann's Concentrated Expectorant, a whole pint costs 30 cents. Money refunded if not perfectly satisfactory by Wurst Bros. Drug Store.

SUFFRAGETTE TESTIFIES IN TERRE HAUTE CASE; METHODS ARE UNCOVERED

Increase In Wages

The Journeyman Plumbers of the city have not as yet definitely taken up their new wage scale but according to an agreement entered into a year ago their wages are to increase from \$3.50 to \$4 for 8 hours work commencing May 1.

Do It Now

Contractor Richard Dawson's forces have about finished the foundation for the German Evangelical church's new Sunday school building on Fifth street, near Washington.

Optician Returns.

Dr. B. C. Spencer, an optician, formerly of Erie, Pa., who several years ago moved to St. Louis, has returned and is thinking of locating at some point along the new interurban between here and Wheelersburg.

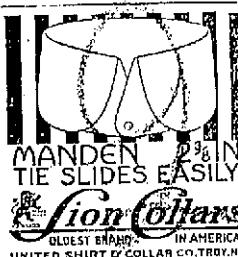
BALL PLAYER MARRIED

According to a Cincinnati dispatch Pitcher William James of the Cleveland American baseball team procured a license to marry Miss Dottie D. Long in the probate court yesterday. They were later married at the home of a friend of the bride, Bath. Miss Long and James are of Wellston, O. Miss Long graduated from the Cincinnati College of Music. The groom is well known in Portsmouth as he frequently visited here.

George Lewis, Charles Patton and William H. Hurnemlin testified that Roberts personally worked the machine to demonstrate the scheme.

Woman Held Poll Book In Red Light District

Mrs. S. U. Stimson, prominent suffragette of Terre Haute, the



This Week's Garment Arrivals at Marting's

Include Some Very New SUIT AND COAT STYLES From the East!



Combinations of silks and fine wools are quite correct in tailored suits and these pretty effects of which we show only one of a kind will surely please you. They are the last styles that expert designers have fashioned. A visit to our department will prove to you the advisability of buying your Easter suit here.

It's Economical. It's the Newest.

Children's Hats



We are making greater efforts than ever before to produce stylish hats for children at a reasonable price.

An immense assortment is now here to choose from.

Prices range from 50c to \$2.50.

Have you seen these stylish shapes selling here at each

85c

Pretty Flowers, Choice Ornaments and Ribbons of all kinds are here in abundance. It's an easy matter for us to make you a very exclusive hat at from \$2.50 to \$6.00 each.

Smart Styles in Women's Shoes

To be gormet dressed for that Easter parade you must have the right style shoes. Whether it's a Pump, Lace Boot or Button Boot, Oxford, etc., that you want you will find it here.

Shoes For the Children!

Every child wants a new pair of shoes for Easter Sunday and Spring wear. Here will be found the correct styles in foot form lasts in all sizes.

Prices from \$1.00 to \$3.00 Per Pair

Marting's
PORTSMOUTH, O.

Price \$3.00 to \$5.00 Per Pair

TWO MORE BRITISH STEAMERS ARE TORPEDOED

London, March 17.—Official announcement was made today that the British steamers Atlanta and Fingal had been torpedoed. The text of the communication follows:
"The British steamer Atlanta, 519 tons owned by Messrs J. and P. Hutchison of Glasgow, was torpedoed by a German submarine off Inish Turk on the west coast of County Galway, Ireland, about noon March 14. The crew was landed on Inish Turk Island and the vessel is now in the harbor.
The British steamer Fingal, of 1,562 gross tons (661 net tons) owned by the London and Edinburgh Shipping Company, of Leith, Scotland, was torpedoed and sunk at 10:50 a. m. March 15 off the Northumber land coast. Twenty-one members of her crew were landed at North Shields, but six lives are reported to have been lost, including the chief mate and the stewardess."

THE NOON EXTRA

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ELEVEN O'CLOCK

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17, 1915

PRICE ONE CENT

GARZA AGAIN HOLDS THE REINS IN MEXICO

A MEXICAN FORTRESS AND SOME YOUTHFUL FIGHTERS

PROTECTION IS ASSURED FOREIGNERS BY MARTIAL AUTHORITY

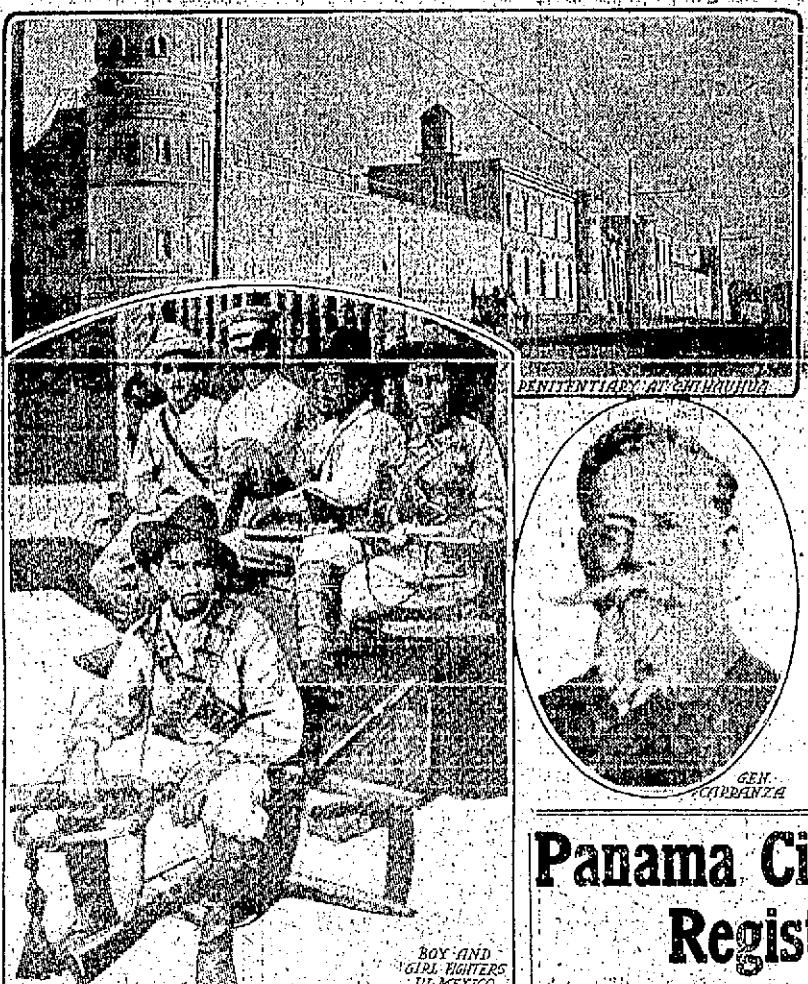
Washington, March 17.—Unofficial advice reaching the state department today told of the return to Mexico City of Roque Gonzales Garza, elected provisional president by a convention of generals January 17, and of his issuing a statement assuring protection for the public in the capital. Martial law would be declared, Garza's statement said.

Advice telling of Garza's return said there was no disorder in the city and that business houses had been re-opened.

Garza succeeded Estrada. Gutiérrez had presumably entered the capital with Zapata forces last night after its evacuation by General Obregón.

Information concerning actual conditions in Mexico City has been sent since the latest change in control, but state department dispatches from the Spanish legation there have said conditions are deplorable. These dispatches told specifically of alleged outrages to Swedish subjects.

State department officials today waited an answer to a request that transportation be furnished Americans and foreigners desiring to leave the capital. Control still rests with Zapata forces, but representations have been sent to General Garza calling attention to the serious situation.



CLAIM CRUISER DRESDEN SUNK UNDER SHELTER; NEUTRAL PORT VIOLATED

Washington, Mar. 17.—A statement issued by the German embassy here last night declared that the German cruiser Dresden sank by a British squadron off the coast of Chile Sunday apparently was attacked while in shelter of neutral waters.

The embassy's information came in cablegrams yesterday and today from Valparaiso, Chile.

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"German cruiser Dresden after having destroyed an English sailing ship on March 8, was sighted by an English armored cruiser and pursued by her from three o'clock to the afternoon. Dresden succeeded to escape the armored cruiser under the cover of darkness. Damage in the machinery and lack of coal forced her to put into the island of Juan Fernandez."

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Considering the existing conditions, the Dresden apparently has been attacked while in shelter of neutral waters.

"As long as no other news is received to prove the contrary, we are entitled to believe that a second violation of neutrality in waging naval warfare has been committed by the English navy."

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15,000 WILL MARCH IN HONOR OF ST. PATRICK; MANY DINNERS PLANNED

New York, March 17.—More than 15,000 men planned to take part in the St. Patrick's day parade here reviewed by Major Mitchell and Major General Wood before leaving for Dublin. The regiments have been organized by Governor's Island. Governor Whitman was to be a speaker tonight at the annual dinner of Ireland's American friends. Many other St. Patrick's day dinners were on the celebration program.

Rather in the day the 20th United States infantry was to land at the battery and march to City Hall to be reviewed by Major Mitchell and Major General Wood before leaving for Dublin. The regiments have been organized by Governor's Island. Governor Whitman was to be a speaker tonight at the annual dinner of Ireland's American friends. Many other St. Patrick's day dinners were on the celebration program.

AVIATOR FALLS 300 FEET TO HIS DEATH

Los Angeles, Cal., March 16.—picture city near here late today, jumped from the airplane when 50 feet from the ground, and died from his injuries shortly afterwards.

LIEGE DEFENDER REFUSES PAROLE

May Break Deadlock

Chicago, March 17.—Members of the schedule committee of the American Association planned to meet with Thomas A. Chivington, president of the association here today in an attempt to break the deadlock.

The committee, which is composed of A. E. Timme of the Milwaukee club, Alker Gaillard of Indianapolis, and George Tepian of Kansas City, has been unable to agree on the number of games making up the schedule or the distribution of the holiday rates.

Returns From Cincinnati

Paris, March 17.—General Leman, Belgian defender of Liege, now prisoner in Germany, has refused to accept his liberty under a parole which the Germans have offered him, according to a letter received by one of his friends, a major in a Belgian engineer corps.

General Leman replied to the offer of a parole, he wrote his friend, that his first act on obtaining freedom would be to offer his services to Belgium and his king.

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THE WEATHER

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Kentucky and West Virginia—Fair tonight and Thursday.

Panama Civilians Register Protest

New York, March 17.—A committee representing the civilian employees on the Panama canal, headed by C. O. Simmens, chairman, which arrived here yesterday, was due to reach Washington today to confer with President Wilson. They came from the canal to protest against Governor Goethel's order discharging all the employees of the canal route for their quarters.

One of the pictures shows the penitentiary at Chimalhuacan, which was the center from which General Carranza moved into the wily activities of Mexico. The group shows Mexican boys and girls, who are still among the fighters under Villa and Carranza. It would appear from the Washington news that Carranza's day is about at an end and that Villa will shortly assume authority, perhaps only to fall before another leader who may come upon the scene of activity.

Charleston, W. Va., March 17.—The National Guard of West Virginia will consist of only one man after June 30, when the present fiscal year expires, unless steps are taken in the meantime to borrow money with which to support the state militia. Governor H. D. Utefield voted that part of the appropriation bill passed by the last leg-

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National Guard of W. Va. Without Funds

Paris, March 17.—The enemy is again furiously bombarding Nieuport, this time with sixteen-inch Howitzers, says an undated message from the Petit Parisien's war correspondent, who adds: "Thirty shells have fallen in the town making enormous holes and demolishing several buildings, but no one was hurt."

Belgian troops profligating by a slight recession of the waters in the district they occupy, carried two German advanced positions. The first was on the Kloosterhoek farm near Stuvekirkorke, while the second was a line of trenches on the road from Perys to Schoeninkirke. Warships and monitors of the allies vigorously bombarded West End. The Germans replied feebly but none of their shells took effect. Torpedo boats generally express wonder that she should so long have evaded hostile torpedoes.

Berlin, March 17 (via London)—The destruction of the cruiser Dresden at Juan Fernandez Island came as no surprise to the German nation. Newspapers generally expressed wonder that she should so long have evaded hostile torpedoes.

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"Investigate Salvage Prices. You Will Find Them All Right."

BIDS ARE OPENED FOR OUR FIRST INTERURBAN Hourly Schedule Is Planned To Ironton

Bids for the construction of the proposed extension of the Ohio Valley Traction company's line from Sciotoville to Hanging Rock, a distance of 21 miles were opened Monday afternoon by officials of the company at their offices at Tenth and Offutt streets. It was stated that there were 12 bidders and that contract would not be awarded until bids could be thoroughly canvassed. The specifications under which bids were submitted call for completion of extension December 1, 1915.

"When line is ready for operation we plan to operate a car to Ironton and from that city to Portsmouth every hour," said Vice President Raymond York Monday.

"The traction cars will not come west any further than the office and station on Offutt street," said Mr. York.

H. S. Grimes Will Filed For Probate

The will of Harry S. Grimes was admitted to probate by Judge Beatty Monday morning and Mrs. Mary C. Grimes, the widow qualified as executrix. Valley Jarold, J. F. Strayer and John R. Hughes were appointed appraisers of the estate, and the appraisal will be made on the twenty-third (23rd) of this month.

Mr. Grimes left a legacy to All Saints church, which is void under the statute as the will was executed on December 7, 1914, and less than one (1) year prior to his death. He left legacies to a number of his relatives and residue of his estate is to be divided among

Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 60. Residence A-850.

Inquisitive From Sciotoville— I believe I would have let him go. That was just a starter. The next time he'll do more when he sees you don't care very much. This time, I don't think he cares very much for you; if he did he would not have acted the way he did. Beware of such men.

Dear Dolly—I have sores and pimples on my face. Is peroxide good for them? BLUE EYES Good! Blond probably causes it. Get rid of it. Let stand 2 hours before using and the water will be nice and clear. If very dirty it will take more of the alum. Don't take the package in the water, just the contents.

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Dear Dolly—A very dear friend of mine was married a year ago. Her husband does not live with her. She goes out riding with other men at night when no one sees her. I have begged her not to let her pay no attention to me. What can I do to make her stop? I don't want to cease to be her friend. Let me know what you advise me regarding her because I care for her.

Dear Dolly—Will you kindly give me some advice? I am a young man 19 years of age and I am going with a young lady of this place and like her dearly, and eat you please tell me how I can show her that I love her? I think she loves me and how can I find out? Do you think I am too young to marry? How is my writing and spelling? W. R. J.

Ask her boy. That's the quickest way to find out. You are rather young to marry. I think you know you can't get a license until you are 21 without the consent of your parents.

A FRIEND.—Dear Miss Wis.—These two girls at my place of business, and they both write to me a great deal, thing a girl can have. If I have one, dear, how could I get her without leaving the other's feelings? VOYERS TRIPLY.

Better find out for sure if the one you love will have you before you try the other, one down. They both might like you and yet would not want you for a husband.

Dear Dolly—I am in love with a girl, but her parents will not let her have company, as they say she is too young for a steady. Would it be all right to meet her on the street corner? EDDIE.

I would not meet her away from home. Girls who meet men like that are liable to have very unkind things said about them. Do not ask her to do anything that would hurt her good name.

Dear Dolly—Please tell me how to clear myself after that is in a steady company with a gentleman.

Dear Dolly—Please tell me how to replace the ring, but there is still danger of her breaking her friendship.

MARGARETTE.

Better ask your mother about going to parties. Personally, I think it would be better to meet at the home of one of the girls, and all go together. I do not like the idea of girls of your age "partying" off.

Your writing is good.

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AUTO CONTAINING 7 PLUNGES INTO RIVER; A BOY IS DROWNED

Engineer Is The Hero of Accident

Just how the deplorable accident took place is not definitely known, but the theory is advanced that when Parker, who has had the machine only two weeks, put his foot on the accelerator instead of the break the machine leaped forward and plunged into the Ohio river, sinking in about 14 feet of water.

Realizing the peril of the party Engineer Pemberton leaped into the Ohio river and proved himself a genuine hero. He picked up two of the children and tossed them upon the ferryboat. Then he turned his attention to Mrs. Parker and sister Miss Cole. It was with great difficulty he rescued Mrs. Parker as she was in an unconscious condition. Miss Cole was then rescued from the river as was Mr. Parker, who was at the wheel of the machine.

Those rescued were rushed to the King's Daughter's hospital, where three physicians attended them. Mrs. Parker was reported in a dangerous condition last night, but was better this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Parker and family spent the night at the Ventura hotel in Ashland, returning to their home in Ironton Monday morning upon receipt of the news that the body of their son had been recovered.

Charles V. Wertz is bequeathed all the stock at Third and Chillicothe streets, the home of the Criterion Clothing company, and also the farm in Washington township, and it is provided that both properties are to go to his children at his death. If he dies without heirs, they are to become the property of Mrs. Wilhelm. The residue of the estate is divided equally between Mr. Wertz and Mrs. Wilhelm, and they are authorized to sell any of the property and reinvest the proceeds of the estate.

Charles V. Wertz is nominated as executor of the will.

Family Is Known

Mr. Parker is one of the best known men in Ironton and news of the regrettable accident in which the life of Mr. Parker's bright little son Ray was sacrificed caused quite a sensation there last night. Mr. Parker has for some time been employed as engineer by the Belfam Iron Works Co. of Ironton. He had driven the car around fronton, but had not taken any long trips, it was stated at Ironton, Monday. All the parties are well known in Ironton and Ashland, where the thrilling accident was widely discussed last night and today.

It was stated that the Parker car had just about come to a stop on the Ferryboat when suddenly it leaped forward and without warning plunged into the river. The machine was hauled out of the river in a badly damaged condition, it was stated Monday.

Mrs. Mary Nixon, of 847 Mill street, was discharged from the hospital Saturday.

The Security Savings Bank & Trust Co.

At Portsmouth, Ohio, at the close of business, March 16, 1915.

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TWO MORE BRITISH STEAMERS ARE TORPEDOED

London, March 17.—Official announcement was made today that the British steamers Atlanta and Fingal had been torpedoed. The text of the communication follows:
The British steamer Atlanta, 519 tons owned by Messrs. J. and P. Hutchison of Glasgow, was torpedoed by a German submarine off Inishturk on the west coast of County Galway, Ireland, about noon March 14. The crew was landed on Inishturk Island and the vessel is now in the harbor.
The British steamer Fingal, of 1,562 gross tons (661 net tons) owned by the London and Edinburgh Shipping Company, of Leith, Scotland, was torpedoed and sunk at 10:50 a. m. March 15 off the Northumbrian coast. Twenty-one members of her crew were landed at North Shields, but six lives are reported to have been lost, including the chief mate and the stewardess.

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PORSCMOUTH, OHIO,

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17, 1915.

PRICE ONE CENT

GARZA AGAIN HOLDS THE REINS IN MEXICO

A MEXICAN FORTRESS AND SOME YOUTHFUL FIGHTERS

PROTECTION IS ASSURED FOREIGNERS BY MARTIAL AUTHORITY

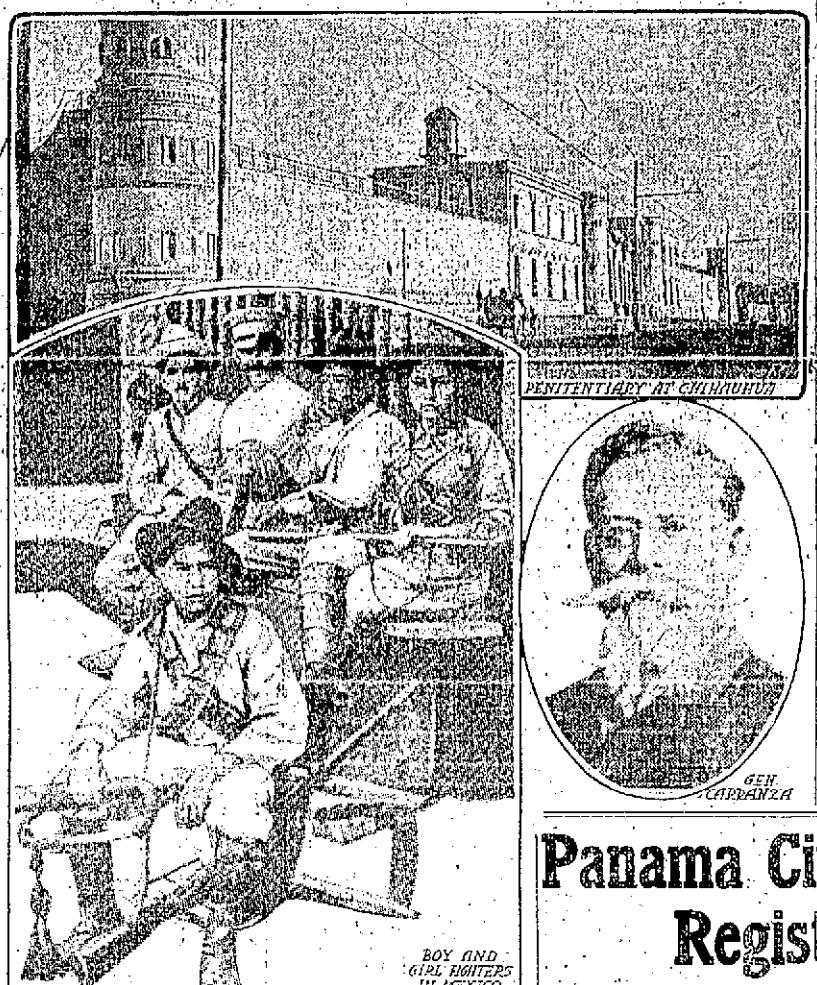
Washington, March 17.—Unofficial advices reading the state department today told of the return to Mexico City of Roque Gonzales Garza, elected provisional president by a convention of generals January 17, and of his issuing a statement assuring protection for the public in the capital. Martial law would be declared, Garza's statement said.

Advices telling of Garza's return said there was no disorder in the city and that business houses had re-opened.

Garza succeeded Eulalia Guillermo and he presumably entered the capital with Zapata forces last week after its evacuation by General Obregon.

Information concerning actual conditions in Mexico City has been scant since the latest change in control, but state department dispatches from the Swedish legation there have said conditions are tolerable. These dispatches told specifically of alleged outrages to Swedish subjects.

State department officials today waited an answer to a request that transportation be furnished Americans and foreigners desiring to leave the capital. Concern still exists for the safety of foreigners at Mazatlan on the west coast. Current representations have been sent to General Carranza calling attention to the serious situation there.



One of the pictures shows the penitentiary at Chilpancingo, which was the center from which General Carranza moved into the warlike activities of Mexico. The group shows Mexican boys and girls, who are still among the fighters under Villa and Carranza. It would appear from the Washington news that Carranza's day is about at an end and that Villa will shortly assume authority, perhaps only to fall before another leader who may come upon the scene of activity.

GERMANS FIERCELY BOMBARD NIEUPORT

Paris, March 17.—"The enemy is again furiously bombarding Nieuport, this time with sixteen-inch Howitzers," says an undated message from the Petit Parisien's war correspondent, who adds:

"Thirty shells have fallen in the town making enormous holes and demolishing several buildings, but no one was hurt."

"British troops profit by a night recession of the waves in going ships, shelling a German submarine which attempted to approach."

The fire against the shore positions was directed by aeroplanes."

Berlin, March 17 (via London).—The destruction of the cruiser Dresden at Juan Fernandez Island came as no surprise to the German nation. Newspapers generally express wonder that she should so long have evaded hostile warships.

Charleston, W. Va., March 17.—The National Guard of West Virginia will consist of only one man after June 30, when the present fiscal year expires, unless steps are taken in the meantime to borrow money with which to support the state militia. Governor H. D. Hatfield vetoed that part of the appropriation bill passed by the last leg-

islature providing for \$65,000 a year for the maintenance of the National Guard. An appropriation, however, was made for the salary of Adjutant General John C. Bond, but nothing to cover the running expenses of his office. The board of public works will meet this week but it is not believed that any effort to aid the militia will be made.

Few people realize what great power there lies in the modern shells and explosives. This unusual picture vividly tells what an enormous amount of destruction a shot from one of the French 75 mm. guns is able to accomplish. When this horse was struck by the shell the force of the shot cut the animal in two and lifted the fore half of the carcass into the tree, as shown in the photo.

Returns From Cincinnati
Harry Davis, who for the past six months had been located in Cincinnati, has returned to Portsmouth. He will, in a few days, return to his old job in the plant of the Whittaker-Glessner Company.

Special attention to repairs, Walters Plumbing Co., adv

THE WEATHER
Ohio—Fair tonight and Thursday.
Kentucky and West Virginia—Fair tonight and Thursday.

Here at Last! "Tillie's Punctured Romance"

Greatest
of all
Comedies

Columbia TODAY

This afternoon
First show at 1:00
Then at 2:30 and 4:00

St. Patrick Day
Souvenirs
For everybody

THE LATEST IN SPORTDOM

JOE CARR NAMED AS NEW HEAD OF THE O. S. LEAGUE

Lexington, Ky., March 17.—Joseph Carr, of Columbus, Ohio, was elected president of the Ohio State League of baseball clubs at a meeting of magnates of the league held here last night. Mr. Carr was secretary of the organization and succeeded B. W. Read, who resigned as president.

The cities represented at the meeting were Marysville, Frankfort and Lexington, Ky.; Huntington and Charleston, W. Va.; Portsmouth and Ironton, and Chillicothe, Ohio.

Another meeting will be held at Chillicothe next Sunday for the purpose of attending to details in connection with the admission of clubs for the coming season. It is planned to open the season in May and to close it on Labor Day.

Portsmouth was represented at the meeting by President William Gaberman and Win. Zeitman. Biddy Beers represented Chillicothe, Dick Smith and Mayor A. J. Hannon represented Ironton, Tom Sheets and J. P. Looney, Lexington; Thos. Russell Marysville; Roger Burtingame and Pat Bohannon, Frankfort and Edward Tippett, Chillicothe.

There is talk of Josh Devore, National League, taking charge of the Chillicothe Batters.

President Gaberman wired from Lexington Wednesday afternoon:

"If a six club league is formed Chillicothe has the call." At Sunday's meeting a schedule committee will be received, new by-laws adopted and date of posting fixtures will be set. If an eight club league is formed it is almost certain to be made up by Charleston, Portsmouth, Ironton, Chillicothe, Mayfield, Lexington, Frankfort and Huntington or Richmond, Ky."

Dillon Too Fast

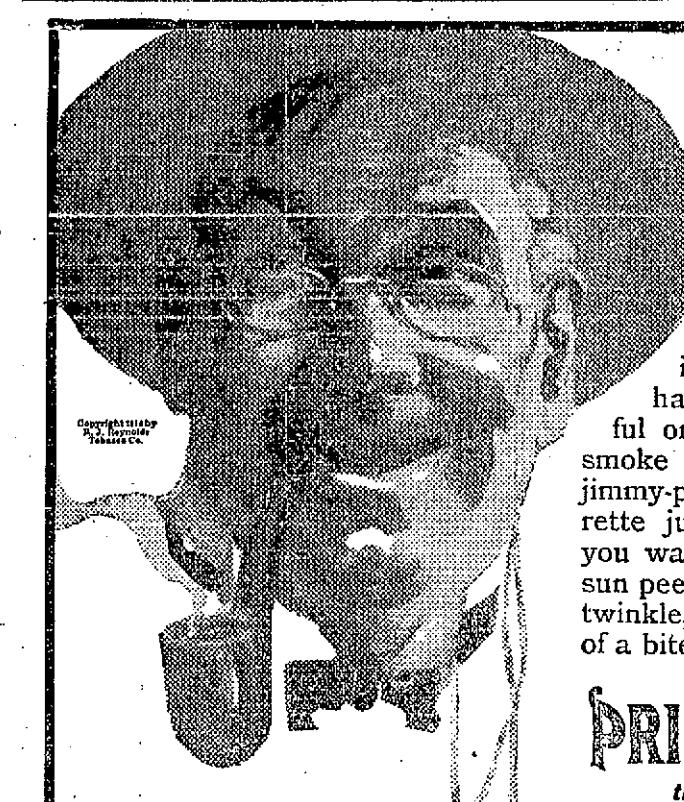
Jack Dillon had a shade on Gunboat Smith in their ten-round fight in Milwaukee Tuesday night. According to ring-side experts, Dillon was too fast for Smith in a ten-round fight.

Once More Won't Hurt You

Manager Charley Dooin, of the Reds, is going to teach the Reds fledglings how to steal bases. We suppose the auburn-topped lad is capable of teaching the art of base-pilfering inasmuch as he stole 5 bases last year.

Reds Will Play Detroit

The Reds will play an exhibition game at Detroit on Monday, May 10, en route from Cincinnati to New York on their first eastern trip. It will be the first appearance of the Cincinnati team in another year. They'll make it into a twenty-round go at this stage, and there's no lightweight now before the public who figures to stop the champ in ten rounds.



P. A. Takes the Razoo Out of the Jimmy Pipe

The one reason why P. A. has so many tried and trusty friends is because it's so gosh-hanged tasty and peaceful on the tongue. You can smoke it packed in your old jimmy-pipe or home-made cigarette just as fast and hard as you want to, from the time the sun peeps out till the little stars twinkle, and there's nary a trace of a bite or sting.

PRINCE ALBERT

the national joy smoke

is made biteless and stingless by a patented process controlled exclusively by us. You just charge a pipe or cigarette with this fragrant, satisfying tobacco and you will wonder why you held out so long and let your tongue curl up and crack every time you took your old jimmy pipe into your confidence.

Any store that sells tobacco can supply you with Prince Albert in the tidy red tin, 10c; toppy red bag, 5c; pound and half-pound tin humidor and that dandy P. A. pound crystal-glass humidor which not only keeps your supply in splendid condition, but is a thing of beauty and a joy forever.

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO., Winston-Salem, N. C.

Ivories And Giants Winners At Bowling, Big Totals Scored

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

Team	D.	W.	L.	Pct.
Giant Killers	34	31	10	.800
Ivory Knobs	51	35	16	.688
Soldiers	18	17	1	.938
Bald Eagles	26	25	1	.962
Cement Specials	48	22	26	.458
Corn Shuckers	18	10	9	.500
Cloud Hoppers	48	17	31	.342
Rexalls	91	13	38	.250
Totals	900	811	92	.826

GAMES FRIDAY EVENING.

Spiders vs. Clod Uppers, alleys 2 and 3.

Cement Special vs. Corn Shuckers, alleys 4 and 5.

TOTALS

Bald Eagles

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HAPPY HUNTINGTON.

The Advertiser solicits Huntington on the quality of the candidates appearing for city office. It avows that in the list of those who have formally announced their candidacy and those who are likely to enter the race are included representative business men, men with experience and insight into municipal affairs, or men who by their training and experience in other lines have shown their ability to deal with the problems that will confront the governing board of a large and progressive city like Huntington. Among so many men of high class, the task of selection is naturally more difficult. But it is fortunate for Huntington that so many of her citizens of the proper character and inclination are ready to give their services to the city.

Indeed, it is fortunate for Huntington, that such a happy dilemma should confront her, of having the choice of the best, so that no matter whom is picked she can "do no worse". Is it true, though, that she is the victim of such excellent condition, or is the Advertiser but drawing the long bow, wrought to enthusiasm by a constantly growing announcement column. Admitting, however, it is condition and not a theory that brings our boastful rival face to face with itself, we can see where no particular difficulty will present itself in electing the preferable incumbents. Having settled the major promise of the honesty and ability of all, the inquiry ought to rest for final determination upon how each individual would bear himself towards the public after election. There are men of impeccable honesty and of unyielded efficiency in office, as we know from their own constantly rewritten guarantee, that fail to maintain a right attitude towards the public because in their conceit they have no problems, except that of convincing the dullard public how fortunate it is and how grateful it ought to be that all its troubles and its fates are taken in hand by him who alone knows what's needed and how to fix it.

A CHEAP SQUEAL.

Not being able to deny that a surplus of eight million dollars, more or less, was left by the Cox administration, giving the cold denial of cash to the campaign charge that the state treasury was bankrupt, the Willis administration is now setting up the cheap squeal that no surplus supply of food and clothing was left in the various institutions and now the inmates will have to be provided for. Certainly they will, and bid they had a great stock of supplies these same campaign liars would be charging that Jim Cox loaded everything up as a favor to his "vast personal political machine".

The meanest partisanship appears to us to be that which says this country has to suffer indignities because it can put up no fight. We always feel the fellow who so talks is a cross between a sucker and a skunk.

They always sang to us that St. Patrick was a gentleman and we never had any disposition to so dispute, but then there were no gas or gasoline engines in his day.

Cincinnati is sprouting her usual crop of spring strikes and lockouts.

West Virginia seems to have a governor patterned in a way like the mayor of a certain town we know.

Rending a shocking row of accidents reported each day, one concludes the automobile is his own worse enemy.

MASKED SOCIAL COMING

Two candidates, Elizabeth Holbrook and Arthur McDermott, were initiated into the Woodmen Lodge, River City Grove, No. 94, at the regular meeting Thursday evening. Five applications for membership were read, and they will be acted upon at the next meeting.

A committee of four was appointed to arrange for a masked social to be given at an early date.

The committee includes Captain L. J. Janetsky, Ella Cook, Eliza Peak and Sarah Bishop. Mrs. George Ditty has been named to serve as deputy of the Lodge for the coming year.

Will Move

Jeweler and Mrs. Frank White are preparing to move from the flat over his store to a home on Third street below Chillicothe.

POLLY AND HER PALS



A Perfect Day

When you come to the end of a perfect day, And you sit alone with your thoughts; While the chimes ring out with a enrol gay;

For the joy that the day has brought,

Do you think what the end of a perfect day

Can mean to a tired heart, When the sun goes down with flaming ray,

And the dear friends have to part.

Well, this is the end of a perfect day;

Near the end of a journey, too; But it leaves a thought that is big and strong,

With a wish that is kind and true,

For memory has painted this perfect day

With colors that never fade, And we find at the end of a perfect day

The soul of a friend we've made.

—Carrie Jacobs-Bond.

Between Girls

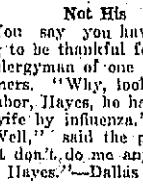
"They say one gradually grows to look like a constant companion."

"Then if I were you I'd quit going around with that pug dog so much."

Mary Mutton

Mary had a little lamb, That filled her mind with grief, She knew she'd get a better price, Had it been made of beef.

NEUTRAL



Not His

"You say you haven't anything to be thankful for?" asked the clergyman of one of his parishioners. "Why, look at your neighbor, Hayes, he has just lost his wife by influenza."

"Well," said the parochial, "that don't do me any good; I ain't Hayes." —Dallas News.

Poetry From the Trenches

(Review of the letters of a Canadian soldier-hurd, in the Regius Standard.)

One poem in particular,

"Mad," has feeling and fervor in every line. The writer evidently knew whereof he spoke from real and bitter experience and concludes with the following plaintive lines:

"The ditty I have written

In the mud,

For wherever I've been sittin'

There's mud;

It has covered every spot,

On my hands there's quite a lot;

When I'm dead, Oh, plant me not

In the mud!"

You will never know how

many things you can be glad for,

until you begin counting your neighbor's troubles.

A Wall Worth Seeing

About the only thing that is

gained by jiggling the telephone

hook when the girl is slow to

make her as mad as you are.—

Unguent (Pa.) Herald.

Violated Parole

Roy Ellis, a young man who

had violated his parole, was

brought to the city prison by

Field Officer Browning of the

Mansfield Reformatory late Tues-

day afternoon and locked up for

the night. The officer left with

his prisoner for Mansfield early

Wednesday morning.

Union In Good Shape

The Painters', Paperhangers',

and Decorators' Union No. 553

met in weekly session Tuesday

night. One candidate was elected

to membership. The affairs of this

union were reported in splendid

shape.

Clerks Met

The Retail Clerks' Union met

in semi-monthly session Tuesday

night.

AS PER USUAL IT'S UP TO ASHUR.

FASHION WILL MOVE NEXT WEEK

Rapid progress is being made on the work of placing a new front in the room at the corner of Gallia and Gay streets to be occupied by The Fashion. Contractor Cook has been making special efforts to complete the work and his efforts are rapidly converting the room into an ideal store room.

Manager A. Kline of the Fashion, stated Wednesday that the store would be transferred to its new home some time next week and would be opened for business with a greatly increased stock.

Stropes Is Missing

Bill Stropes, a former barber who police say was reported abusing his aged mother, could not be found by police when they searched for him in the North End Tuesday. The officers learned that he had some trouble with a gang of negroes instead of with his mother.

See that Walters Plumbing Co. figures your contract.

THESE LADS HAD THRILLING TIMES



Animal Jingles

FOR LITTLE FOLKS
A LITTLE GROWL CALL

THE ADVENTURES OF MINNIE MONKEY

When Minnie Monkey wakened in the Organ-Grinder's house,

Said she: "I know I have done very wrong."

And while she was still thinking what a naughty child she'd been,

The Organ-Grinder man said, "Come along!"

The family dressed Miss Minnie in the little coat and hat;

Said they: "We hope you'll have a lucky day."

So they set out, and when they saw some children in a yard,

The Organ-Grinder man began to play.

And while he played Miss Minnie turned her finest somersault;

She really didn't find it very hard;

But when she started toward the house to get the children's coins,

A great, big, dog came dashing through the yard.

Miss Minnie dropped her little cup and scrambled up a tree;

And when she'd reached the top she saw the Organ-Grinder man a-running up the street

As fast as though he never meant to stop.

The children said to her: "You needn't be at all afraid;

This dog is only playing; he won't bite."

But Minnie would not listen when they told her to come down;

She only sat and chattered in her fright.

At last a boy climbed up the tree and seized Miss Minnie Monk;

He tuck her underneath his arm and then

He quickly scrambled down the tree, as only boys know how,

And soon they were upon the ground again.

Said he: "This is my monkey; now I mean to take her home."

Of course the children knew that he was right.

But of the things that happened next, exciting though they were,

I'll have to wait and tell tomorrow night.

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JOE REISNER THINKS HIS STORE IS BURGLAR PROOF

Joe Reisner, a Chillicothe street back door wide open. Joe said the thief evidently was bent on entering only the store, but discovered that there was no inside stairway leading to the store room.

Joe said five weeks ago Dan Thomas and some friends went to the rear of the Red Cross pharmacy to investigate some noises, but found everything in order, but he had not returned to the corner when a fellow bolted from the bath-room window. He walked all around his living apartments during the family's absence, but did not disturb a single thing. When the family returned they found the windows and door of his store protected with burglar proof iron bars and shutters.

Stinnie Acquitted On Rape Charge

Less than an hour was required by a jury in common pleas court Tuesday afternoon to arrive at a verdict of "not guilty" in the case of Henry Stinnie, colored, charged with rape on Zelma Arthur, twelve-year-old daughter of James Arthur, Fourteenth and Railroad streets, on the evening of January 7th last. The trial opened before Judge Thomas and jury Wednesday morning.

The defense succeeded in building up a strong alibi for the negro, who prior to his incarceration in the county jail, was employed at the N. & W. terminals. Several witnesses also testified to his previous good character and reputation.

Stinnie was defended by Attorneys Miller, Miller and Saal, while Prosecuting Attorney Joseph T. Mcleathwait represented the state.

Age Is Not the Cause of your hair falling out. It is the condition of your scalp.

Recall Hair Tonic will destroy the germ which is the cause of this trouble. 20 cents a bottle.

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WE ARE GREEN TODAY IN MEMORY OF SAINT PATRICK

PROMINENT METHODISTS AT COLUMBUS MEETING

OHIO METHODISTS IN CONVENTION AT THE CAPITAL CITY

Several prominent local Methodists will be among the thousands of Methodists from Ohio who will participate in the Ohio Convention of Methodist men, which opens this evening in Memorial Hall at Columbus, and continues for three days.

The program for the three days' meeting is one of unusual power and interest, and is based on an extensive survey of social, industrial, missions, rural, educational, temperance, missionary, and evangelistic problems and possibilities for Ohio. Methodist Bishop W. F. Anderson of Cincinnati, head of the Ohio Methodist Conference, will preside at the sessions. Lantern slides showing actual conditions will precede each lecture.

Among the famous speakers who will address the convention are Bishop W. F. Anderson and Luther B. Wilson; John R. Mott, Charles W. Fairbanks, S. L. Taylor, Samuel Higginbottom, A. E. Cory, W. E. Doughty, Harry F. Ward, Edgar Blatch, Thomas Nicholson, Clarence True, Wilson W. F. Oldham, C. H. Bowditch, P. V. Mayette, E. W. Halford, and S. P. Turner.

Included in the Portsmouth delegation during the three days are the following: Rev. A. R. Connell, J. S. Rardin, Roger Selby, J. M. Graham, Rev. George W. Grimes, Rev. J. W. Dillon, of Bigelow M. E. church; Rev. C. L. Streeker, John T. Breece, W. B. Anderson, John Stockham, George C. Gulkler, John McMillan, Louis W. Bragdon, and W. R. Graham, of Trinity M. E. church; and Rev. W. T. Gilford and Philip Pfarr of Manly M. E.

Over four thousand Methodist men are expected to attend the sessions.

USED A SAFETY RAZOR BLADE TO CUT THROAT

Special Meetings

From evidence secured by a committee composed of Dr. A. S. Brady, E. E. Fullerton and Bert Timor, prominent citizens of Greenup, appointed to look into the death of Arthur B. Denmon, who committed suicide in the toilet room of a C. & O. westbound train Tuesday morning, it seems he used a "safety" razor blade to end his life. He slashed his throat front to rear and it is said that the one used by Denmon to end his life was found in the toilet room. Blood stains were found on it by the train crew, who reported their findings to the C. & O. officials. An effort will be made to recover the blade.

The body of the victim was Wednesday shipped to relatives at Ashland, Va. E. E. Fullerton stated Wednesday that in his opinion it was a plain case of suicide and that no postmortem was necessary.

Top Victim

Wilson Linton, a Times carrier, is laid up at his home on Washington street, as the result of an injury just below the eye sustained while spinning a top Monday.

HUGE AUSTRIAN GUN TRAINED ON RUSS POSITIONS NEAR WARSAW



At the right is seen one of the large Austrian 40.5 cm guns which were used with great effect against the Russian positions in the vicinity of Warsaw. At the left several soldiers are seen cutting a 500-pound shell along the wooden plank tracks to be loaded into the gun. These Austrian guns are similar in construction to the 42 centimeter Krupp guns used by the Germans.

BADLY SCARED BY A PROWLER

Mrs. Nettie B. Wood, wife of Clarus Wood, a contracting carpenter of 922 Eighth street, and their eight-year-old daughter, Garnet, were greatly frightened in encountering a prowler Tuesday night, about 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Wood had gone to the Ray Starling home across the street for a call, and when her little girl arrived later started back home. They had no sooner descended the steps of the porch when the child began screaming, "Oh, mama, there's a man," and ran as fast as she could to the street shouting, "For her father." Mrs. Wood saw the man standing not over two feet from her, but in the dark could not tell whether he was white or black.

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WITH THE SICK

Charles A. Kuehne, a watchman employed by Journeymen, J. F. Carr, was seized with nose bleed Tuesday night. He was reported better Wednesday.

PLANS FOR MOTORIZING THE FIRE DEPARTMENT ARE READY FOR COUNCIL

The city council fire committee through its chairman, Charles W. Wilson, will make its supplemental and final report to council tonight on the proposed motorization of the fire department.

The committee will recommend first, the purchase of two motor driven combination hose and chemical apparatus with centrifugal pump attachments to take the place of the two horse drawn ladder wagon.

Third, that a thorough examination be made by competent men and if found that the two present steamers are in such condition that they will warrant it, that they be equipped with two wheel front drive tractors.

Fourth, should either or both of the steamers not warrant the expenditure such changes would require that one new combination hose and pumping engine of sufficient size and one additional combination chemical and hose wagon be purchased.

Fifth, that one fire chief's car be purchased.

The committee personally favors the retention of one or both of the present steamers if an examination will show that they still have years of service left in them and that they will warrant equipping them with tractors. They could be held in reserve for large conflagrations only, for 35 per cent of the fires in cities nowadays are fought with the combination wagons.

It is to determine their future usefulness or unfitness that the committee will ask the examination which will be left in the hands of the city board of control. It is conservatively estimated that the complete motorizing of the Portsmouth fire department will mean an outlay of \$30,000 to \$35,000.

Deeds Filed

Additional deeds filed Tuesday were:

Roscoe E. Beard and others to Austin Taylor, Lot 42 and also west part of Lot 51 in Lucasville, \$1 et al.

Arthur G. and Minnie M. Stevens to S. G. and Judith E. Hoffmann, 108 acres in Bloomington, \$1 et al.

It was learned Wednesday that Mrs. Samuel Schloss has placed her Chillicothe street property near Fourth in the hands of Agent H. A. Bierley.

It was reported that an option had been given on the lot and in the event it was closed a new business block would go up on it, but this was denied today by Mr. Bierley.

He showed the lot to a prospective buyer Tuesday but he says no option was given.

The ship, \$1 et al.

Woodmen Plan A Big Time At Home Coming

Members of River City Camp, Woodmen of the World, of this city, located in all parts of the country, will receive invitations within the next few days to the "Home Coming" of the Camp, which will be held at the lodge rooms on the evening of April 9th. Those who can not attend the exercises will be requested to forward some message to their home Camp.

Extensive arrangements for the ceremonies are being made by the committee in charge of the arrangements, and the event will be one of the most notable in the history of River City Camp. Protection degree will be exemplified on a class of fifty candidates by

the crack local degree team, after which a musical and oratorical program will be carried out.

Speeches will be made by Judge Thomas C. Beatty, Prosecuting Attorney Joseph T. Mickelwait, Ray McElhaney, county clerk, and George A. Ditty, district manager of the W. O. W.

The musical numbers will include vocal solos by Chester Riggle and piano selections by Blanchard Anderson.

The committee is composed of Roy McElhaney, chairman; George Clifford, C. C. Milstead, W. Hyland, O. H. Lewis and George A. Ditty.

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The lodge had as guest at the

SIXTEEN PAST MASTERS WILL RECEIVE JEWELS

Sixteen living Past Masters of Aurora Lodge, No. 48, F. & A. M., will be presented with the jewels of their office at the annual inspection of the lodge, to be held at the Masonic Temple on Thursday, March 25th. The presentation will be made by Geo. L. Marshall, junior warden; Fred R. Fuller, senior warden; Fred C. Sileox, treasurer; J. M. Baker, senior deacon; John E. Milliard, junior deacon; A. J. Reinhard, tyler.

The inspection of Aurora Lodge is the first of a series of inspections of all the local Masonic bodies, which are always attended with special ceremonies. The inspection of Calvary Commandery, Knights Templar, and Solomon Council, R. & S. M., will be held in April, while the date of the inspection of Mt. Vernon Chapter, No. 23, Royal Arch Masons, has not yet definitely fixed.

As a consequence the German commander sent the crew ashore and blew up the Dresden. The casualties numbered 3 dead and 15 wounded.

The Movies

Columbia Today "Tillie's Punctured Romance"

All roads lead to the Columbia Lodge and tomorrow where the greatest comedy ever offered to the public will be shown in "Tillie's Punctured Romance," a regular whirlwind of continuous fun for six solid reels.

Just look who we have for principal fun-makers! There is Marie Dressler, acknowledged to be the funniest woman of the stage, who always creates a laugh the minute she makes her first appearance; then we have Charles Chaplin, known as funny Charlie of the famous Keystone Comedies and with him we have his Keystone partner in Mabel Normand, another woman recognized the world over as one of motion picture's funniest women.

"Tillie's Punctured Romance" was first offered to the public the latter part of December and made an instantaneous hit wherever shown; this picture has broken more house records for attendance than any picture ever shown and exhibitors everywhere are clamoring for this picture.

Remember there will be no re-

serve seats, the first show each afternoon will start promptly at 1 o'clock, then at 2:30 and 4:00.

The first evening show will start promptly at 6:30, then at 8 and at 9:30.

All seats are 10 cents for each afternoon, and the evening prices are adults 20 cents and children under 12 for 10 cents.

You had better come early and be sure of seeing this great picture without a long wait.

BIRTHS

A fine little daughter was born Wednesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Elizell Kenyon, of Second and North Waller streets. Mr. Kenyon is a well-known machinist.

Was In Columbus

R. E. Scott, passenger agent of the N. & W., was in Columbus on business Tuesday.

HER IDEAL MAN

Drawn by Eva Shepherd



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Her ideal man is strong and brave—the strength of Samson, without his weakness.
She must be guarded!
He is wise—with the wisdom of the seers of old, without, of course, the burden of their years.
She must be guided!
He is loving, with the tender understanding love of a mother—with the protective love of a man for his mate.
She must be loved!